"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Cloudy today, with rain or snow tonight and Thursday; no change in temperature; northerly winds.
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JURY DISAGREES IN BACKER CASE; OUT EIGHT HOURS

Dismissed by Judge Rosalsky Shortly Before 1 A. M. and Defendant Paroled.

JURORS 7 TO 5 FOR ACQUITTAL

Untermyer, at Lockwood Hearing, Reveals Bids on City Contracts Raised by Collusion.

EVIDENCE SENT TO O'BRIEN

Proposals for Schoolhouse Work Altered by Hettrick and Successful Ones Picked.

Shortly before 1 o'clock this morning Judge Otto A. Rosalsky discharged the jury in the trial of George Backer, wealthy building contractor, on the charge of perjury. He continued Backer in $25,000 bail and released him in the custody of his counsel until Thursday, when bail will be furnished. When the jury entered the court Judge Rosalsky said:

"Gentlemen, I have received a communication from you through your foreman in which you state that it is impossible for you to agree on a verdict. In view of the fact that the jury has been kept together for a period of eight hours, it seems to me that further consideration of the case by this jury would be useless. I therefore discharge you from further consideration of this case."

The contractor was plainly disappointed. When asked whether he had anything to say, he replied:

"No. I have nothing to say to the newspapers. They have not treated me fairly. They have been too friendly to Mr. Untermyer."

William G. G. Thompson was foreman of the jury. It is expected that Backer will be called again for trial in a few days.

It was learned early this morning that the jury on the last ballot stood seven to five for acquittal.

The jurors went to dinner at the conclusion of Judge Rosalsky's charge, returning to the Criminal Courts Building at 7:20. At 9:15 the jury filed into court and asked Judge Rosalsky to have the stenographer read Backer's testimony relative to conversations he had in April last with two men to whom he said he paid $25,000 to have them refrain from calling a strike on the "Seventh Avenue job" of Ephraim B. Levy.

After Backer's direct testimony on this point was read some of the jurors wanted the cross-examination on this point read. This was done and the jury retired for further deliberation.

The entire day was devoted to the addresses of Edmund L. Mooney, chief counsel for Backer; Emory R. Buckner, Special Assistant District Attorney, who is in charge of the presentation of evidence gathered by the Lockwood committee to the Grand Jury, and the charge of Judge Rosalsky.

Untermyer Charges Collusion.

Taking up evidence that had been furnished by the Lockwood Committee to Corporation Counsel O'Brien two weeks ago to aid the Board of Estimate in its investigation of city contracts, Samuel Untermyer yesterday disclosed matters which, he said, plainly showed collusion on the part of contractors.

About a dozen witnesses wanted by the Lockwood Committee failed to appear yesterday. Some of these witnesses are members and officers of the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, which is said to have controlled the sale of most of the sand and gravel handled in New York City.

Henry Steers, President of the Henry Steers Sand and Gravel Company and also of Henry Steers, Inc., admitted that his firm had a monopoly of sand and gravel mixture, and said they hoped to keep it "a good many years."

"We'll see about that," commented Mr. Untermyer drily.

It was brought out that the New York Trap Rock Corporation, with a capital of between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000, the only trap rock concern on the Hudson River, selling 1,000,000 cubic yards of stone a year, agreed to sell in New York only to a handful of sand and gravel men banded together as the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade.

The committee obtained evidence that the Contractors' Protective Association, whose "sand committee" had an interlocking arrangement with the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, fixed minimum rates for per diem work and prescribed penalties of $500 for the first infraction, $1,000 for the second and expulsion for the third. It was also brought out that agreements were made with chauffeurs and hoisting engineers' unions by means of which the trade unionists agreed to work only for the members of the organization and the contractors agreed to employ none but men of those two unions.

Wright D. Goss, President of the Empire Brick and Supply Company, refused to give the committee access to the documents in his office showing the means he used in arriving at his cost figures on brick. Finally Mr. Untermyer said the committee would take what Goss gave it and "subpoena the rest."

Investigator Put to Flight.

Joseph A. Sheridan, an investigator for the committee, testified that when he tried to serve a subpoena on a Hudson River brick manufacturer at Athens, N. Y., he was met with a shower of bricks and had to flee for his life.

The testimony showing the detailed methods by which Hettrick increased

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FLORIDA—CUBA—CAROLINAS.
Seaboard Air Line Ry., 2:05 P. M. and 12:20 midnight daily; through sleepers; superior dining car service. Office, 1185 B'way.—Advt.

Coal Trade Journal Predicts Further Declines in Prices

The Coal Trade Journal, appearing today, predicts further declines in coal prices as a result of the mild weather, the work of the Emergency Distribution Committee and the several investigations that have been started, or are pending. There is, however, "urgent need for all the coal that the operators can ship to New York."

In the anthracite regions, there has been "a slight recession in independent prices on domestics," quotations varying from $13 to $13.25. Bituminous prices continued their downward trend.

The Wholesale Coal Trade Association yesterday issued a warning to small investors to beware of stock selling schemes by coal concerns which promise big returns on small investments.

MINER RUNS AMUCK IN MINGO COLLIERY

Attempts to Get Workers to Quit and Shoots Deputy Sheriff Who Tries to Arrest Him.

GIVE UP HOPE OF MEDIATION

Governor's Reply to Union Is Taken to Mean He Would Not Intervene for Conference.

Special to the New York Times.

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 7.—Violence broke out anew tonight in the Mingo coal fields. At the Black Diamond Mine, across the Tug River, E. B. Whitt, a Deputy Sheriff of Pike County, Kentucky, was shot by a miner, and escaped death only by a miracle. The man who shot him, Henry Sizemore, was working in the Black Diamond Mine, but prior to the shooting had been discharged for an alleged attempt to foment trouble early this afternoon.

Sizemore appeared at the mine and proceeded, it is said, to shoot up the camp. Deputy Sheriff Whitt was one of two Deputies on guard, and was instructed to arrest the disturber. Sizemore in the meantime had entered the mine and tried to get the men at work to go on strike. It was his second attempt to do so. One earlier in the day proved a temporary success, but the Superintendent managed to persuade the men to return to work.

Whitt lay in wait for Sizemore at the mouth of the mine. The latter, as he came out and noticed the Deputy Sheriff, drew his revolver, it is alleged, and took aim at Whitt's head as the latter told him he was under arrest. The bullet entered Whitt's left arm and came out in the back of the neck, but without leaving more than a superficial wound.

According to a report tonight, another Deputy Sheriff at the Black Diamond Mine who went out to get Sizemore ran across him late tonight and shot him thrice, two bullets entering the body and one the right arm.

The Black Diamond Mine is in the region affected by the strike order, but not within the zone of military control. Whitt was brought to Williamson tonight for treatment. Dr. O. H. Jennings, who dressed his wound, pronounced it not dangerous.

Abandon Hope of Mediation.

Hope that Governor Cornwell might intervene to bring about a conference between operators and striking miners vanished today when it became known that the Governor in a statement had administered a rebuke to officials of the United Mine Workers of America who had taken him to task for bringing Federal troops into the district to maintain order. The Governor, moreover, made it clear that the troops would remain until the trouble making element had been disarmed and the newly elected Sheriff had superseded the present incumbent, Jan. 1.

Governor Cornwell charged Sheriff G. T. Blankenship with being too friendly to the striking miners and the union officials who have been organizing them in this field. He further stated that he had no interest in the situation here except to restore the rule of law and "prevent civil war."

Representatives of the Williamson Coal Operators' Association were jubilant when they learned of the Governor's statement. With the military protection now afforded miners who are willing to return to work and men brought in by the operators from the outside to take the place of strikers, they expect to have all their mines in full operation before Christmas. Considerable progress has been made in that direction during the last week. Yesterday and today some 150 men have been brought into the Mingo County fields "on transportation," as the operators say. Before the week is ended the operators expect to have 200 more imported men at work.

The general impression here is that a peaceful settlement between the operators and United Mine Workers appears to be out of the question. The strike is beginning to "peter out."

Reports Gain in Collieries.

"Operations have already been resumed this week at the mines of the Thacker Coal Company, near Nolan, the Wigard Mining Company, at Goodman, near Chattaroy, the Crystal Block mines, at Gates, and one of the mines belonging to the Williamson Field Company near Town," said George Baisewine Jr., Secretary of the Coal Operators' Association, this afternoon. "We expect to start operations at War Eagle later in the week, which will leave only six mines out of eighty-four

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FALL MALL Rounds the cigarette with a free and easy draught.—Advt.

NO TRUCE FOR IRELAND UNTIL LEADERS QUIT, GREENWOOD STATES

Republican Army Extremists Must First Surrender or Be Captured, He Says.

SINN FEIN ALSO OPPOSED

Officials Deny That Father O'Flanagan Speaks With Party's Authority.

LABORITES SEE PREMIER

Henderson and Adamson Report Conditions They Saw and Desire for Peace.

LONDON, Feb. 7 (Associated Press).—Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland, declared emphatically amidst cheers in the House of Commons today that he was "convinced there can be no truce, or successful advocacy of a truce, in Ireland until the extreme leaders of the Irish Republican army either surrender and deliver their arms or are arrested."

Sir Hamar's statement was in response to a query by Joseph Devlin, Irish Nationalist, as to whether he thought the arrest of the Dublin Councillors yesterday was conducive to the spirit of peace when the Dublin Corporation was about to discuss a truce. Sir Hamar Greenwood had previously informed the House that all the Councillors arrested were members of the Irish Republican Army and several of them had been continuously on the run for some time. One of them had spent the previous night in a hayshed, Sir Hamar declared, and a shotgun was found in the office of another.

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LONDON, Dec. 7.—William Adamson and Arthur Henderson, of the Labor delegation which went to Ireland to investigate conditions there, tonight had an interview with the Prime Minister, and reported to him the position in Ireland as they found it. In particular they stated the purport of their conversations with Arthur Griffith and Cardinal Logue.

Before this meeting with Premier Lloyd George a meeting of the Parliamentary Labor Party was held at the House of Commons, when Mr. Henderson made a statement as to the progress of the work of the Labor Party's commission of inquiry in Ireland and as to the serious nature of the present situation there. The commission, he said, had been impressed by the widespread desire for a truce, to be followed by a conference to endeavor to negotiate a settlement. The party expressed satisfaction with Henderson's statement, and also expressed a hope that efforts toward a settlement should be pursued.

Say O'Flanagan Spoke Privately.

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DUBLIN, Dec. 7.—A letter from the Dublin headquarters of the Sinn Fein is published in the Irish press to the effect that since the arrest of Arthur Griffith, acting President of the Sinn Fein, there has been no meeting of the Standing Committee and therefore the telegram of Father O'Flanagan to the Prime Minister is simply a statement of personal opinion and has not the sanction of the Sinn Fein Executive. The letter proceeds: "Only the Dail Eireann, accredited representative of the Irish people, has any authority to speak on behalf of Ireland. All public bodies, and more particularly all individuals, would be well advised to steer clear of the snares of the British Government. Until the Dail Eireann has spoken the Irish people will therefore carry on as usual."

Another member of the Dail Eireann, Richard T. Hayes, was arrested yesterday. Sinn Fein M. P.'s now in custody include Arthur Griffith, Robert C. Barton, Countess Markievicz, John MacNeill, Eamonn Duggan, Joseph MacBride, William Sears, Paul Galligan, Joseph McGrath and Alderman Michael Staines.

Collins Issues Manifesto.

BELFAST, Ireland, Dec. 7.—Michael Collins, Commander-in-Chief of the Irish Republican Army, referring in a statement today to a report that his safety would be assured in the proposed peace terms between the Sinn Feiners and the British Government, said:

"There has been no such agreement. No person in Ireland or anywhere else had any authority to use my name. My personal safety does not matter and does not count as a factor in the question of Ireland's rights. I thank no one for refraining from murdering me.

"At the present moment there is a very grave danger that the country may stampede on false promises and that there may be foolish and ill-timed action. My advice to the people is to hold fast."

It is reported that the auxiliary police would give much to know whence Collins' statement emanated, but that is discreetly hidden.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Sean O'Ceallaigh, envoy of the Irish Republic in France, denies in an official statement issued today that the Dail Eireann of its ministry has made any overtures for peace with England.

"Ireland rejects with scorn," says the statement, "all suggestion of com-

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FLORIDA—4 THROUGH TRAINS DAILY. Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Office 1,346 Broadway (34th St.). Tel. Longacre 3311.—Advt.

Calls for a Government Inquiry Into Unemployment

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Congressional investigation of the "increasing unemployment" to determine what action, if any, to relieve the situation can be taken by the Federal Government was proposed in a joint resolution introduced in the House today by Representative Mason, Republican of Illinois.

A general conference of Governors of States and representatives of the Federal Government for the purpose of determining the facts concerning unemployment also was proposed. Mr. Mason estimated the number of unemployed at approximately 2,000,000.

The resolution proposed separate and immediate investigations by the Labor, Interstate Commerce, Public Buildings, Post Office and Military and Naval Committees, which would be required to report to the House by Dec. 20.

LONDON CAPITALISTS DROP W. D. VANDERLIP

He Fails to Impress Them as to His Power to Carry Out His Schemes.

DIDN'T SHOW CONCESSION

But Krassin, Soviet Envoy, Found His Talk of Enormous Orders Useful Propaganda.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—London has quickly lost interest in Washington D. Vanderlip.

On his arrival the authorities noted that he came from Moscow and inquired about him, as they do about all travelers from Eastern Europe. He appeared to be more interested in money making than in Red propaganda, so they let him alone.

While at the Carlton Hotel Vanderlip had several visitors from the financial district, but despite his facile talk he failed, it is understood, to impress them as to his power to carry out his schemes.

Information gathered about Vanderlip here is that he has been a rolling stone and had a varied career. There is lack of agreement as to how he got to Kamchatka. Some persons have understood from him that he was shipwrecked there. Others quote him equally confidently as having once led an exploring expedition of eight men.

There seems little doubt that Vanderlip had the backing of certain Western American capitalists in his Russian adventure, and he appears to have been armed with a commonplace letter of introduction from Senator Harding bespeaking in his behalf courtesy and assistance from "all whom it concerned."

When he arrived at Moscow he seems to have met with great difficulties. When he broached his Kamchatka scheme the Soviet authorities told him frankly that they had no power there; that the region was under the jurisdiction of the Far Eastern republic, and that their writs did not run there. Finally, however, he won them over, and the Soviet authorities seem to have given him a paper purporting to be a valid concession.

That, at least, is what well-informed people here say to be the case as a result of his own statements. No one professes to have been favored with sight of the document and there is a good deal of doubt as to its value, whatever it is. The exact legal position of the Far Eastern republic is unknown here, but its rights might obviously be a formidable obstacle to recognition of the Moscow concession.

Vanderlip saw Krassin several times, and it is believed the Russian envoy formed a pretty shrewd idea of him. He had, at any rate, this value for Krassin: He was very useful in furthering the idea of Anglo-Russian trade by arousing the cupidity of business men with his talk of enormous orders.

There were some rumors in connection with Vanderlip of a concession at Baku as well as in Kamchatka, but they are believed to be baseless.

POSSE BURNS HUNTED MAN.

Sets Fire to Cabin After He Shoots Sheriff.

BILLINGS, Mont., Dec. 7.—E. F. Lampson, aged 55, a homesteader near Tuffley, was burned to death in his cabin early today after a posse had set fire to it following an all-night rifle and revolver battle and numerous attempts to dynamite the house. Lampson yesterday afternoon perhaps fatally wounded Sheriff Jesse Garfield, who had gone to the cabin to arrest Lampson for suspected insanity.

With a gunshot wound in his back, Sheriff Garfield drove his automobile toward Franchin until he ran out of gasoline, and walked the remaining mile. He is in a Billings hospital.

A posse of twenty men, headed by Under Sheriff Harry Ringwald, set out in cars from Ryegate, taking with them Lampson's two sons, Walter and J. W., who were used during the night in an effort to persuade Lampson to leave the cabin. The posse was greeted with a burst of shots. A running fire was maintained until the cabin was riddled. Lampson, apparently unhurt, fired sporadically until a few minutes before the fire was set.

Kew Gardens Inn, Kew Gardens, L. I. Residential suburban hotel (American plan) 16 minutes from Pennsylvania Station.—Advt.

U. S. ARMY CAPTAIN, $6,000 ABSCONDER, WAS GERMAN SPY

John Willet, 48th Infantry, Admits He Was Sent Here With 300 Others to Enlist.

BARES ESPIONAGE SYSTEM

Would Have Led His Men to Slaughter Had He Been Sent Oversea, He Says.

RECOGNIZED BY A COMRADE

Many Spies, He Confesses, Held High Official Positions in Washington During the War.

An amazing story of German espionage during the war was disclosed at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when John Willet, former Captain in the Forty-eighth United States Infantry, confessed in the East Fifty-first Street Police Station that he was really Hans Willers, a cadet in the German Army until 1914, when he was sent to this country with 300 other cadets to join the American Army and become officers, if they could.

Willet, Willers or Willars, as his name was variously recorded by the police and the military authorities last night, confessed that he had absconded with $6,000 of his company's funds at Camp Sevier one Nov. 28, 1918, shortly after the armistice. It was this offense which resulted in his arrest at Sixth Avenue and Forty-second Street at 3:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Hugh J. Hannigan, formerly a First Lieutenant in the Forty-eighth, recognized the deserter and hailed a policeman.

"You would be surprised how many high German officials held jobs in Washington during the war," Willet told Detective Sergeant O'Leary, according to the latter. The prisoner made this statement after he had narrated how he came here and what he would have done had his regiment been sent to France.

Would Have Led Men to Slaughter.

"I would have led my men to slaughter and could have been useful to my own country in many other ways," Willet said, according to the police.

After he had told his story the detectives got in touch with the commandant's office at Fort Jay, Governors Island, and were told Willet was wanted by the army authorities. A half hour later an armed guard under Sergeant Pringel handcuffed Willet at the station house and took him to Fort Jay, where he was locked up in Castle Williams Prison.

Lieutenant M. D. Chandler, Prison Officer, said last night that the prisoner had admitted that he was "John A. Willars," former Captain of K Company, Forty-eighth Infantry, but further than that he would make no statement after being warned that anything he said would be used against him at his trial.

He was charged with absconding with $6,000 from the fund of Company K, Forty-eighth Infantry, while the regiment was stationed at Camp Sevier, Greenville, S. C.; with being a German spy while holding an American Army commission and with desertion from the United States Army.

Identified by Former Officers.

Hannigan, now a salesman for the American Pulp and Paper Company, with offices in the Grand Central Terminal Building, had just passed the Public Library in West Forty-second Street when he recognized the short blond civilian ahead of him as the missing Captain of Company K. He followed Willet to Sixth Avenue, and, crossing ahead of him, ran up to Policeman MacDonald and briefly told the facts in the case. The policeman halted Willet, told the latter a complaint had been made against him and the three went to the East Fifty-first Street Station.

"I have ordered the arrest of my former Captain because he stole the company funds and then deserted," Hannigan told Detective O'Leary.

It was not until Willet had been confronted with two other ex-Lieutenants of the Forty-eighth Infantry, Sidney P. Howell, a lawyer of 31 Nassau Street, and Francis Hatch, whose office is at 120 Broadway, both of whom made a positive identification of the man, that he began to respond to questions fired at him by Detectives O'Leary, Dietsch, Walsh and Hayden.

A question as to his pedigree, according to the detectives, brought the reply that Willet was born in Germany thirty years ago and educated there.

Trained for Spy Work.

"I was trained for spy work when I was a boy and later when I was a cadet in a German military academy," the detectives quote Willet as saying.

"I had been trained to speak English as it should be spoken, without the trace of an accent, and I can speak my own language just as well," the prisoner went on.

"When the World War began in 1914 I was selected to join a band of cadets who came to the United States with orders to join the American Army. Other groups went to the French Army and to the British. About 300 others came over here with me. I knew that my military training soon would be recognized and that promotion would follow, so I enlisted as a private the first opportunity I got. I had no citizenship papers—I did not need any.

"I could have joined the navy—my instructions would have permitted that

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SIX (6) BELL-ANS in a Little HOT Water for INDIGESTION. Quick relief.—Advt.

WILSON URGES NATION TO LEAD DEMOCRACY; WOULD LEND TO ARMENIA, FREE PHILIPPINES; ADVISES TAX REVISION, SILENT ON TREATY

$25,000,000 Loan Judged Ample for Armenia; Government Ready to Act if Congress Will Assent

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's suggestion in his annual message to Congress today that Congress authorize the Treasury of the United States to "make to the struggling Government of Armenia such a loan as was made to several of the allied Governments during the war" means that the outgoing Administration is ready to grant such a loan under proper safeguards unless the present Congress withholds its assent.

Inquiries at the State Department today relative to the probable size of the suggested loan were met with the statement that an estimated maximum of $25,000,000 is all that would be required to help Armenia get upon its feet provided the much-desired peace arrangements with the Turkish Nationalists can be arranged under the personal mediation which President Wilson has agreed to undertake at the invitation of the League of Nations.

President Wilson and other high officials of the Government have a very deep humanitarian interest in the fate of the Armenians, and he is willing to go as far as Congress will assent in the direction of aiding them.

It was insisted by officials this afternoon that even though the mediatory efforts may result in peace for the Armenians it would be difficult for Armenia, after all she has experienced, to live unless she gets a loan.

Among the dangers which have lately threatened the Armenians is Bolshevism, which breeds on unemployment. Officials of the State Department do not believe that the Armenians are at heart Bolshevist, and, as regards reports that the country has now a Soviet Government, it was remarked by one official that the Armenians have been situated between "the devil and the deep sea," and that many of them may have felt driven to the point of preference for taking their chances with the Russians than with the Turks. The Armenians have never had serious difficulties with the Russians. Their inveterate persecutors have been the Turks.

WESTERN UNION CABLE DISPUTE WITH FRANCE

Company Loses $1,000,000 by Depreciation in Exchange and Refuses to Continue.

WANTS PAY ON GOLD BASIS

France Holds Paper Franc Legal Tender—Sends American Messages to London.

Declaring that his company had borne a loss of more than $1,000,000 in the last year because of the operation of foreign exchange in the transmission of cable messages from France to this hemisphere, Newcomb Carlton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, said yesterday that the company since Dec. 1 had refused to accept messages out of France for the United States unless paid on the gold franc basis.

Mr. Carlton said the action was taken when the French Government refused the request of American cable companies for settlement on the gold franc basis. He pointed out that the Paris Government refused to permit the cable companies to deal directly with the French public and that all messages out of France had to be handed in to the French cable and telegraph administration.

These payments on commercial and press dispatches were made on the basis of the much depreciated French paper franc, while the charge at this end was in American or other undepreciated moneys. The difference, said Mr. Carlton, had been borne by the Western Union and other companies.

"The franc, as you know, has recently been worth but between 7 and 8 cents," Mr. Carlton said. "The cable rate from Paris to New York is 1.25 francs, the press rate is 50 centimes a word, or about 4 cents. The French Government is compelled to pay the British Government on any business that is sent across the channel in gold francs. We, with other cable companies, have for more than a year been urging the French Government to settle with us on a gold franc basis, which would mean that the Paris to New York rate in gold would be 25 cents a word and 10 cents a word for press.

Claim of French Government.

"The French Government claims that under the French law the depreciated paper franc is legal tender and must be accepted. On this basis, the paper franc basis, a cabler located in the United States pays 25 cents a word on messages to France and a French cabler pays the equivalent of about 8 cents a word for messages coming to the United States.

"Again, a message filed in France addressed to South America is paid over the entire route in the depreciated franc. For example, a message from Paris to the Virgin Islands costs 3.85 francs per word, or, at the present rate of exchange, after deduction of proportions accruing to the French administration, about 24½ cents a word. Our pay-out at Havana is 40 cents a word, a deficit of 15½ cents a word, plus total lack of compensation for transmission.

"For another example, take Buenos Aires, for which the through rate is 3.45 francs, equal to 22 cents a word. Our pay-out at New York on such messages is 40 cents a word, leaving a deficit of 18 cents a word, plus total lack of compensation.

"The examples that I have cited showing the deficits are rather extreme cases, but they are to show the iniquity of the thing.

"The French Government does not permit American cable companies to operate their own offices in France.

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HARDING LEAVES CARD FOR WILSON

Stops a Moment at the White House on Way to Train After Day of Conferences.

HEARS SENATORS ON LEAGUE

Discusses Cabinet and Legislation—Off for Marion to Receive "Best Minds."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—After a two days' stay here President-elect and Mrs. Harding left Washington this afternoon for Marion. On his way from the McLean residence to the railroad station Senator Harding stopped at the White House and left his card for President Wilson. He did not leave his car. President Wilson's motor car had been waiting before the White House to take the President for his customary afternoon ride, but it was sent away about the time Mr. Harding arrived.

After a few days of rest at home the President-elect will begin the series of conference relative to the League of Nations, Cabinet selections and legislation. Herbert Hoover will be the first to confer with the President-elect. He is due in Marion on Saturday.

Senator Harding did not go to the Capitol today, but spent the morning and afternoon seeing visitors at the McLean residence. These visitors were mostly Senators, who expressed to the President-elect their views as to what should be done in connection with the League of Nations and other matters. No decision has been reached with regard to the League.

Such bitter opponents of the League as Senators Johnson, Borah and Brandegee were among those who called on the President-elect. All are opposed to the United States joining any international organization designed to prevent wars. Another caller was Senator Lodge, who is also counted now among the irreconcilables. It is assumed in political circles that he is out of sympathy with even an association of nations.

Others who saw the President-elect were mild reservationists, Lodge reservationists or uncertainly classified as to the League. Senators Kellogg, Smoot, New, Norris, Calder and Phipps came to discuss questions with Mr. Harding.

With not all of these did he talk about international affairs. Senator Smoot, for example, came to discuss the question of legislation for the farmers.

Speaker Gillett of the House called to ascertain whether the President-elect favored having the House Committee on Ways and Means take up the question of tariff revision or general tax readjustment first.

Another caller was ex-Senator Weeks of Massachusetts, who is looked upon as a Cabinet certainty.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the British Ambassador, came to pay his respects.

Harry K. Daugherty, close political adviser of Senator Harding, called and remained for luncheon, at which Senator Lodge also was present.

Senator Harding left the McLean house about half an hour before the departure of his train, with Mr. Daugherty and Will H. Hays, Chairman of the Republican National Committee. After the stop at the White House the President-elect paid a brief call on Mrs. Eugene Hale, widow of the former Senator from Maine, and mother of the present Senator.

Friends Make Soundings on Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—In his search for information and advice about the League, President-elect Harding, it is understood, told Senators on both sides of the question that he wanted suggestions from every

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PRESIDENT TELLS HIS FAITH

America's Privilege, He Holds, to Be an Example to the World.

MUST PUT HOUSE IN ORDER

Outlines Immediate Legislative Needs to Help Recovery Here and Abroad.

MESSAGE READ BY CLERKS

Most Leaders Who Comment Oppose Loan to Armenia or Letting Filipinos Go.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's last annual message to Congress was transmitted to the Senate and the House today in the form of a written document. This was only the second time that President Wilson had failed to deliver his annual message in person, both exceptions to the custom which he re-established being due to illness. In May, 1919, he cabled from Paris his message to the special session of Congress.

The impressiveness of previous sessions when the President appeared to make his addresses was lacking today. Members of the House sat in silence while the reading was in progress, but when the Clerk finished the Democrats arose and cheered and some applause came from the galleries.

In the Senate the message was not read until routine business was disposed of, and the Senators, who had received printed copies, read them in their seats.

The message was largely devoted to domestic questions, but one recommendation that he made was that the United States should make a loan to Armenia such as was done to other Governments during the war. He also urged that the Philippines should receive their independence.

Other matters urged, most of them the same as he presented to Congress in his message of a year ago, were:

Revision of the tax laws and simplification of the income and excess profits tax.

Careful economy in expenditures and the creation of a budget system.

Federal licensing of corporations.

Enactment of more stringent laws on cold storage.

Adequate measures for rehabilitating and training disabled soldiers and sailors.

No Mention of the Treaty.

The message did not mention the treaty and its hearers were left in the dark as to what the President intended to do with it. It cannot be revived unless he returns it to the Senate.

Careful inquiry in authoritative quarters failed to obtain any information confirmatory of reports that the President would send the treaty to the Senate again. On the contrary, the inquiry brought the statement from person in position to know something regarding Presidential matters that Mr. Wilson did not contemplate such a thing. He has been urged by some persons to do so, but has not indicated to those in his confidence that he intends to resubmit the treaty, and their opinion is that he does not purpose doing it.

The tone of today's message was in several respects idealistic and a plea for the accomplishment of the democracy for which the World War had been fought. In the President's opinion America could do its part to that end by setting an example to the rest of the world through putting its own house in order, and to this end he recommended the enactment of laws that would be fair to all classes and standing for "right and justice" as toward individual nations.

This idea of fair treatment of all classes is a favorite theme of private conversation of the President, who has maintained that the United States was making the error of legislating for groups of the community instead of for the people as a whole.

One paragraph, which at another time would probably have attracted much attention, passed almost unnoticed. In this the President declared that "the Old World is just now suffering from a wanton rejection of the principle of democracy and a substitution of the principle of plutocracy as asserted in the name but without the authority and sanction of the multitude." This criticism of the trend of events in Europe was not explained, but apparently denoted a dissatisfaction with the manner in which some of the statesmen with whom he was associated in the Peace Conference were conducting the work of world readjustment.

The message mentions the supremacy of democracy and the fall of autocracy in the war, but, says the President:

"This is the time of all others when democracy should prove its purity and its spiritual power to prevail. It is surely the manifest destiny of the United States to lead in the attempt to make this spirit prevail."

At the outset the President had quoted this saying of Lincoln: "Let us have faith that right makes might and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it." His conclusion

was a somewhat similar utterance on his own views:

"I have not so much laid before you a series of recommendations, gentlemen, as sought to utter a confession of faith, of the faith in which I was bred and which it is my solemn purpose to stand by until my last fighting day. I believe this to be the faith of America, the faith of the future, and of all the victories which await national action in the days to come, whether in America or elsewhere."

Opinions on the Message.

Among the members of Congress who commented upon the message, the majority expressed opposition to aiding Armenia financially or granting independence to the Philippines. Most of the Republican leaders declined to discuss the message, saying that the President had advanced nothing new except on these two points.

Senator Kellogg, Republican, Minnesota: "What the President says about the need for economy is, to say the least, inconsistent with the appalling estimates which have been submitted to Congress by his Cabinet heads. The loan to Armenia will not be made."

Senator Calder, Republican, New York: "I fully sympathize with the Armenians in their troubles, but in the present condition of the nation's finances I do not believe a loan will be made."

Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon: "What struck me most in the message was the complete absence of any reference to the Treaty of Versailles and his further reference to the immediate necessity of re-establishing this country on a peace basis."

Senator Jones, Republican, Washington: "If the President had stopped at the end of the third paragraph I would have been more favorably inclined, and had he been, a year ago, as solicitous of the country's financial condition we would now be in a much better condition financially."

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri: "The President's proposal for the licensing of corporations engaged in interstate commerce is State socialism and worse than anything conceived by William II. of Germany."

Senator Wolcott, Democrat, Delaware: "If the present short session carries out any substantial portion of the program recommended by the President it will have rendered valuable service to the country."

Borah Raps Armenia Proposal.

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho: "So far as the Armenian loan is concerned, we had better arrange that the Allies will restore to Armenia something on which to make a loan before we talk about it."

Senator King, Democrat, Utah: "The President's message proves that his intellectual powers are entirely unimpaired. I do not, however, agree with all that the President has to say. For instance, his proposal for the licensing of corporations engaged in interstate commerce. That I am opposed to."

Senator Pittman, Democrat, Nevada: "It is a message that still appeals to the conscience of America in the midst of this era of growing fear and selfishness."

Senator Sheppard, Democrat, Texas: "The message sustained the high standards of thought and expression heretofore set by the man who will rank among the greatest of American Presidents. It points out briefly but clearly the supreme duties of the hour."

Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia: "Perhaps the message is more noticeable for its omission to say anything about the Peace Treaty. This may signify the intention of the President to leave this problem to the incoming Administration."

Senator Thomas, Democrat, Colorado: "I think that part of the message which relates to international democracy was designed to emphasize his devotion to the ideals of the League of Nations, notwithstanding the results of the last election."

Senator Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts: "I am very glad to see that the President is for the independence of the Philippines. I was impressed after my visit there a few years ago that they were ready for it."

Says He Outlines Plenty of Work.

Representative Flood, Democrat, Virginia: "The message outlines a volume of splendid reconstructive work for the last session of this Congress, which would be of vast benefit to the country if Congress succeeds in enacting it."

Representative Gard, Democrat, Ohio: "It contains very good and timely directions for a long legislative program."

Representative Randall, Prohibitionist, California: "It is a very dignified and statesmanlike document. The President is too big a man and too dignified to show any disappointment over the election. I agree with the man who said that people would soon be building a monument to Woodrow Wilson out of stones thrown at him in the late campaign."

Representative Husted, Republican, New York: "With reference to the President's advocacy of freeing the Philippines, I am opposed to hauling down the flag in the islands. This holding out of false hopes of independence has hurt the islands and retarded their development."

Representative Kahn, Republican, California: "I have always felt that if the Filipinos wanted their independence there ought to be no strings whatever regarding our obligations to protect them. They must organize their own army and navy. If they are willing to take on those burdens, then the message of the President might obtain some consideration from Congress."

WILSON'S NOBEL PRIZE TO BE AWARDED DEC. 10

Formal Announcement Made—Exchange Cuts Normal $40,200 Value to $29,100.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—Announcement is made that the Nobel Peace Prize will be conferred on President Wilson on Dec. 10.

The ceremony will take place, as usual, in the Norwegian Storthing, which awards the prize.

THE NEW YORK TIMES announced in a Stockholm dispatch, dated Nov. 20, that, according to the Swedish newspapers, President Wilson would receive the Nobel Peace Prize for 1920. It had previously been announced in a dispatch from the same city, Jan. 29, that the Interparliamentary Socialist group had decided to recommend him for the honor to the Storthing.

He is the third American to receive this award, the two others being Theodore Roosevelt in 1906 and Elihu Root in 1912. However, since the fund of $9,000,000, from whose interest the prizes for achievements in physics, chemistry, medicine and literature, as well as peace, are annually drawn, became available in 1901, by the terms of the will of the founder, Alfred B. Nobel, the Swedish scientist and inventor of dynamite, who had died five years before, two other Americans have received prizes—Dr. A. Carrel, in medicine, in 1912, and Dr. T. W. Richards, in chemistry, in 1914.

The Peace Prize is awarded by a committee of five persons elected by the Storthing, and, like the others, usually amounts to about $40,000. According to the terms of the Nobel will, however, the awards must always be made in kronen, each prize being a little less than 150,000 kronen. But the present value of the krone in the United States is 19.40 cents, so President Wilson will receive only $29,100, and not the $40,200 which the other Americans received when the value of the krone here was .268.

GUEST OF MRS. MARSHALL.

Mrs. Harding Is Entertained at Luncheon in Senate Office Building.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Warren G. Harding, wife of the President-elect, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given today by Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, wife of the Vice President.

The luncheon, which was given in the Senate office building and attended by about forty wives of Senators and other officials, was the second social affair for Mrs. Harding during her two days' stay in Washington, Mrs. Wilson, wife of the President, having entertained her at tea at the White House yesterday.

President Wilson's Message to Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's annual message to Congress was as follows:

When I addressed myself to performing the duty laid upon the President by the Constitution to present to you an annual report on the state of the Union, I found my thought dominated by an immortal sentence of Abraham Lincoln's, "Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it"—a sentence immortal because it embodies in a form of utter simplicity and purity the essential faith of the nation, the faith in which it was conceived and the faith in which it has grown to glory and power.

With that faith and the birth of a nation, founded upon it, came the hope into the world that a new order would prevail throughout the affairs of mankind, an order in which reason and right would take precedence of covetousness and force, and I believe that I express the wish and purpose of every thoughtful American when I say that this sentence marks for us in the plainest manner the part we should play alike in the arrangement of our domestic affairs and in our exercise of influence upon the affairs of the world.

By this faith, and by this faith alone, can the world be lifted out of its present confusion and despair. It was this faith which prevailed over the wicked force of Germany. You will remember that the beginning of the end of the war came when the German people found themselves face to face with the conscience of the world and realized that right was everywhere arrayed against the wrong that their Government was attempting to perpetrate. I think, therefore, that it is true to say that this was the faith which won the war. Certainly this is the faith with which our gallant men went into the field and out upon the seas to make sure of victory.

Democracy on Test Today.

This is the mission upon which democracy came into the world. Democracy is an assertion of the right of the individual to live and to be treated justly as against any attempt on the part of any combination of individuals to make laws which will overburden him or which will destroy his equality among his fellows in the matter of right or privilege, and I think we all realize that the day has come when democracy is being put upon its final test.

The old world is just now suffering from a wanton rejection of the principle of democracy and a substitution of the principle of autocracy as asserted in the name but without the authority and sanction of the multitude. This is the time of all others when democracy should prove its purity and its spiritual power to prevail. It is surely the manifest destiny of the United States to lead in the attempt to make this spirit prevail.

There are two ways in which the United States can assist to accomplish this great object:

First, by offering the example within her own borders of the will and power of democracy to make and enforce laws which are unquestionably just and which are equal in their administration—laws which secure its full right to labor and yet at the same time safeguard the integrity of property, and particularly of that property which is devoted to the development of industry and the increase of the necessary wealth of the world.

Second, by standing for right and justice as toward individual nations. The law of democracy is for the protection of the weak, and the influence of every democracy in the world should be for the protection of the weak nations, the nation which is struggling toward its right and toward its proper recognition and privilege in the family of nations.

The United States cannot refuse this rôle of champion without putting the stigma of rejection upon the great and devoted men who brought its Government into existence and established it in the face of almost universal opposition and intrigue, even in the face of wanton force, as, for example, against the orders in the Council of Great Britain and the arbitrary Napoleonic decrees which involved us in what we know as the war of 1812.

I urge you to consider that the display of an immediate disposition on the part of the Congress to remedy any injustices or evils that may have shown themselves in our own national life will afford the most effectual offset to the forces of chaos and tyranny which are playing so disastrous a part in the fortunes of the free peoples of more than one part of the world. The United States is of necessity the sample democracy of the world, and the triumph of democracy depends upon its success.

Urges Passage of Budget Bill.

Recovery from the disturbing and sometimes disastrous effects of the late war has been exceedingly slow on the other side of the water and has given promise, I venture to say, of early completion only in our own fortunate country; but even with us the recovery halts and is impeded at times and there are immediately serviceable acts of legislation which it seems to me we ought to attempt, to assist that recovery and prove the indestructible recuperative force of a great Government of the people.

One of these is to prove that a great democracy can keep house as successfully and in as businesslike a fashion as any other Government. It seems to me that the first step toward providing this is to supply ourselves with a systematic method of handling our estimates and expenditures and bringing them to the point where they will not be an unnecessary strain upon our income or necessitate unreasonable taxation, in other words, a workable budget system, and I respectfully suggest that two elements are essential to such a system; namely, not only that the proposal of appropriations should be in the hands of a single body, such as a single appropriations committee in each house of the Congress, but also that this body should be brought into such co-operation with the departments of the Government and with the Treasury of the United States as would enable it to act upon a complete conspectus of the needs of the Government and the resources from which it must draw its income.

I reluctantly vetoed the Budget bill passed by the last session of the Congress because of a constitutional objection. The House of Representatives subsequently modified the bill in order to meet this objection. In the revised form I believe that the bill, coupled with action already taken by the Congress to revise its rules and procedure, furnishes the foundations for an effective national budget system. I earnestly hope, therefore, that one of the first steps taken by the present session of the Congress will be to pass the Budget bill.

Improvement in National Finances.

The nation's finances have shown marked improvement during the last year. The total ordinary receipts of $6,694,000,000 for the fiscal year 1920 exceeded those for 1919 by $1,542,000,000, while the total net ordinary expenditures decreased from $18,514,000,000 to $6,403,000,000. The gross public debt, which reached its highest point on Aug. 31, 1919, when it was $26,596,000,000, had dropped on Nov. 30, 1920, to $24,175,000,000.

There has also been marked decrease in holdings of Government war securities by the banking institutions of the country, as well as in the amount of bills held by the Federal Reserve Banks secured by Government war obligations. This fortunate result has relieved the banks and left them freer to finance the needs of agriculture, industry and commerce. It has been due in large part to the reduction of the public debt, especially of the floating debt, but more particularly to the improved distribution of Government securities among permanent investors. The cessation of the Government's borrowings except through short-term certificates of indebtedness has been a matter of great consequence to the people of the country at large, as well as to the holders of Liberty bonds and Victory notes, and has had an important bearing on the matter of effective credit control.

The year has been characterized by the progressive withdrawal of the Treasury from the domestic credit market and from a position of dominant influence in that market. The future course will necessarily depend upon the extent to which economies are practiced and upon the burdens placed upon the Treasury, as well as upon industrial developments and the maintenance of tax receipts at a sufficiently high level.

Need of Watchful Economy.

The fundamental fact which at present dominates the Government's financial situation is that seven and a half billions of its war indebtedness mature within the next two and a half years. Of this amount two and a half billions are floating debt and five billions Victory notes and War Savings Certificates. The fiscal program of the Government must be determined with reference to these maturities.

Sound policy demands that the Government expenditures be reduced to the lowest amount which will permit the various services to operate efficiently, and that Government receipts from taxes and salvage be maintained sufficiently high to provide for current requirements, including interest and sinking fund charges on the public debt, and at the same time retire the floating debt and part of the Victory loan before maturity. With rigid economy, vigorous salvage operations and adequate revenues from taxation, a surplus of current receipts over current expenditures can be realized and should be applied to the floating debt. All branches of the Government should co-operate to see that this program is realized.

I cannot overemphasize the necessity of economy in Government appropriations and expenditures and the avoidance by the Congress of practices which take money from the Treasury by indefinite or revolving fund appropriations. The estimates for the present year show that over a billion dollars of expenditures were authorized by the last Congress in addition to the amounts shown in the usual compiled statements of appropriations. This strikingly illustrates the importance of making direct and specific appropriations.

The relation between the current receipts and current expenditures of the Government during the present fiscal year, as well as during the last half of the last fiscal year, has been disturbed by the extraordinary burdens thrown upon the Treasury by the Transportation act, in connection with the return of the railroads to private control. Over $600,000,000 has already been paid to the railroads under this act, $350,000,000 during the present fiscal year; and it is estimated that further payments, aggregating possibly $650,000,000, must still be made to the railroads during the current year. It is obvious that these large payments have already seriously limited the Government's progress in retiring the floating debt.

Wants Income Tax Revised.

Closely connected with this, it seems to me, is the necessity for an immediate consideration of the revision of our tax laws. Simplification of the income and profits taxes has become an immediate necessity.

These taxes performed an indispensable service during the war. The need for their simplification, however, is very great, in order to save the taxpayer inconvenience and expense and in order to make this liability more certain and definite. Other and more detailed recommendations with regard to taxes will no doubt be laid before you by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

It is my privilege to draw to the attention of Congress for very sympathetic consideration the problem of providing adequate facilities for the care and treatment of former members of the military and naval forces who are sick or disabled as the result of their participation in the war. These heroic men can never be paid in money for the service they patriotically rendered the nation. Their reward will lie rather in realization of the fact that they vindicated the rights of their country and aided in safeguarding civilization. The nation's gratitude must be effectively revealed to them by the most ample provision for their medical care and treatment as well as for their vocational training and placement. The time has come when a more complete program can be formulated and more satisfactorily administered for their treatment and training, and I earnestly urge that the Congress give the matter its early consideration. The Secretary of the Treasury and the Board of Vocational Education will outline in their annual reports proposals covering medical care and rehabilitation which I am sure will engage your earnest study and command your most generous support.

Some Immediate Problems.

Permit me to emphasize once more the need for action upon certain matters upon which I dwelt at some length in my message to the second session of the Sixty-sixth Congress: The necessity, for example, of encouraging the manufacture of dyestuffs and related chemicals; the importance of doing everything possible to promote agricultural production along economic lines, to improve agricultural marketing and to make rural life more attractive and healthful; the need for a law regulating cold storage in such a way as to limit the time during which goods may be kept in storage, prescribing the method of disposing of them, if kept beyond the permitted period, and requiring goods, released from storage, in all cases to bear the date of their receipt. It would also be most serviceable if it were provided that all goods, released from cold storage for interstate shipment, should have plainly marked upon each package the selling or market price at which they went into storage, in order that the purchaser might be able to learn what profits stood between him and the producer or the wholesale dealer.

Indeed, it would be very serviceable to the public if all goods destined for interstate commerce were made to carry upon every packing case, whose form made it possible, a plain statement of the price at which they left the hands of the producer. I respectfully call your attention, also, to the recommendations of the message, referred to, with regard to a Federal license for all corporations engaged in interstate commerce.

In brief, the immediate legislative need of the time is the removal of all obstacles to the realization of the best ambitions of our people in their several classes of employment and the strengthening of all instrumentalities by which difficulties are to be met and removed and justice dealt out, whether by law or by some form of mediation and conciliation. I do not feel it to be my privilege at present to suggest the detailed and particular methods by which these objects may be attained, but I have faith that the inquiries of your several committees will discover the way and the method.

Loan to Armenia—Free Philippines.

In response to what I believe to be the impulse of sympathy and opinion throughout the United States, I earnestly suggest that the Congress authorize the Treasury of the United States to make to the struggling Government of Armenia such a loan as was made to several of the allied Governments during the war; and I would also suggest that it would be desirable to provide in the legislation itself that the expenditure of the money thus loaned should be under the supervision of a commission, or at least a Commissioner, from the United States, in order that revolutionary tendencies within Armenia itself might not be afforded by the loan a further tempting opportunity.

Allow me to call your attention to the fact that the people of the Philippine Islands have succeeded in maintaining a stable Government since the last action of the Congress in their behalf, and have thus fulfilled the condition, set by the Congress, as precedent to a consideration of granting independence to the islands. I respectfully submit that this condition precedent having been fulfilled, it is now our liberty and our duty to keep our promise to the people of those islands by granting them the independence which they so honorably covet.

I have not so much laid before you a series of recommendations, gentlemen, as sought to utter a confession of faith, of the faith in which I was bred and which it is my solemn purpose to stand by until my last fighting day. I believe this to be the faith of America, the faith of the future and of all the victories which await national action in the days to come, whether in America or elsewhere.

FIGHT BEGUN OVER WAR FINANCE BOARD

Senators Lodge and Curtis Defeat Initial Attempt of Champions of Farmers.

HARD BATTLE EXPECTED

Many Measures in Both Houses Designed to Aid Agricultural and Various Industrial Interests.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The efforts to have the War Finance Corporation revived for the benefit of the farmers began this afternoon on the floor of the Senate when Senator Gronna of North Dakota, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Agriculture, asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to take steps at once to rehabilitate the corporation with the "view of assisting the exportation of farm products to foreign markets."

A joint resolution of like purport was introduced by Senator Calder of New York. Both resolutions, following the objections of Senators Lodge and Curtis, went over until tomorrow, when it is expected that the Senators opposed to the plan will seek to have both resolutions referred to the Committee on Finance.

When he offered his objection to the Calder resolution, Senator Curtis pointed out that he was in sympathy with the movement, and that he objected only because the resolution offered by Senator Gronna had previously gone over as a result of the objection of the Republican leader, Mr. Lodge.

That the Senate will stage the hardest sort of a battle between those who favor and those who oppose reviving the War Finance Corporation appears certain. It is claimed by those favoring the plan that Senators from the agricultural States will vote almost as a unit in favor of it. Senator Lodge explained that he had the deepest sympathy for the farmers, but if aid were to be extended to farmers it should also be made available for other industries, the textile industry of New England, for instance.

When Senator Gronna offered the resolution, approved by the Committee on Agriculture, Senator Lodge immediately suggested that the proper place for it at this time was the Committee on Rules. Senator Norris of Nebraska, replying to Senator Lodge, said that the resolution was simply a direction to the War Finance Corporation to go ahead and exercise its functions which were suspended last May at the instance of Secretary Houston of the Treasury.

"I suggest," interrupted Senator Reed of Missouri, "that the resolution be read so that we will know what we are talking about."

"This," said Senator Lodge, "is a very important matter, and I think it had better go over. Perhaps it should be enlarged. At the present time many mills are closed down and the resolution, I think, should be enlarged to cover those industries. Thousands of operatives are idle and the mills are closed because they have been unable to dispose of goods now on hand."

"The War Finance Corporation," Senator Norris explained, "has the authority to do the very things the Senator from Massachusetts would like to have done. This resolution does not curtail its power and the committee simply wants the corporation to take cognizance of the agricultural situation in the country. We call attention only to the awful situation in the agricultural sections."

Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey asked if it would not require a bond issue of about $1,000,000,000 before the War Finance Corporation could be expected to function and thus add another billion to the financial burden of the people. Senator Norris said the expectation was that such bonds as were issued would be bought by private firms and individuals.

"It is not the intention to ask an appropriation," said Senator Gronna.

"Where will the money come from then?" asked Senator Frelinghuysen.

"Does the Secretary of the Treasury approve this?" Senator McLean of Connecticut inquired.

"He does not," answered Senator Norris.

Senator Glass of Virginia, Mr. Houston's predecessor as Secretary of the Treasury, called attention to that part of the resolution which directs the Federal Reserve Board to take such action as may be necessary to permit member banks of the reserve system to grant liberal credit to farmers.

"The reference to the Federal Reserve Board," said Mr. Glass, "presupposes that the board has been neglectful of its duties."

The attitude of Mr. Glass was taken to indicate that he will be one of those who will oppose the revival of the Finance Corporation.

At this point Mr. Lodge formally objected and the resolution went over.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—Bills were offered in the Senate in large numbers today with the general aim of stimulating business, whether agricultural, manufactring, mining or exporting. The program of Senator Capper, Repblican, of Kansas, for farm relief legislation found expression in several measures to regulate grain exchanges, while Senator McCumber, Republican, of North Dakota, introduced bills to prohibit the importation for one year of grain and grain products and live stock and other food commodities and the appointment by the President of a commission to prepare for Congress a general system of co-operative marketing.

Co-operative marketing also was dealt with in House bills. Means of taking care of the surplus of cereal crops and at the same time assuring the farmer of proper sale of his products was the stated object of a bill by Representative Christopherson, Republican, of South Dakota, who proposed to revive the United States Grain Corporation as the machinery to handle the farm surplus.

All of the measures dealing with relief for farmers were designed, their proponents asserted, to aid the consumer as well as the producer, but the urban members were not overlooking opportunities to render assistance by legislation where possible to finance and manufacturing through changes in the Federal Reserve act and banking laws.

Some of the measures submitted would direct Congressional investigation of unemployment. Among such measures was a resolution presented today by Representative Mason, Republican, of Illinois, calling for a series of House committee investigations and a conference of Governors and Federal officials to ascertain facts and figures and make recommendations. Mr. Mason's resolution set forth that there now were more than 2,000,000 persons in the United States in enforced idleness.

HARDING ADVISES FARMERS.

Reserve Board Head Says Individual Effort Must Solve Crisis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 7.—Governor W. P. G. Harding of the Federal Reserve Board, addressing the annual convention here today of the American Farm Bureau Federation, declared that the net volume of bank credit and currency has increased during the last year and that Federal Reserve banks had not curtailed agricultural credits. The price decline of raw products, he said, "encircles the world" and is not felt alone by the American farmer.

"Members of the Federal Reserve Board," said Governor Harding, "have a keen sympathy for the farmers in their present predicament and are desirous of doing everything they can legitimately and properly to help them. It is impossible, however, for any banking system to provide funds for withholding all staple crops entirely from the market for any length of time.

"This is a year of physical plenty and the farmers' troubles arise from price derangement. The decline in prices of all agricultural staples has been very marked, and some may not be salable in the present circumstances at any price. Such commodities, of course, must be carried over for account of some one and they had better be carried for the account of the producer. Other staples can be sold at a price and gradual sales of these staples will, in my opinion, stabilize the entire situation."

Governor Harding said he believed that in a short time farm products would advance or prices of other goods would decline. He also said the cost of farming next year "seems certain to be greatly reduced."

He urged the farmers to have "no feeling of undue depression or despair," asserting that the development of permanent export trade, the revival of industry and the re-establishment of trade relations among nations are "the surest means of relieving present conditions" and that all are being considered by the Government's administrative and legislative officials as well as by bankers and trade organizations.

The Federal Reserve Board, he continued, could not establish discount rates with a view to increasing or decreasing prices.

In support of his statement that Federal Reserve banks had not contracted credit or currency, Governor Harding said the total loans and investments of the banks amounted to $3,333,039,000 last Friday as compared with $2,033,682,000 on Dec. 5, 1919, and that Federal Reserve notes now in circulation amount to $3,312,039,000 as compared with $2,881,359,000 a year ago.

"It is certain," he ended, "that there has been no curtailment of agricultural credits by the Federal Reserve banks and while exact figures of member bank transactions are not yet available, it seems reasonable to assume that there has been a very large volume of credit extended by member and non-member banks in support of the agricultural interests."

Eugene Davenport, dean of the Agricultural College of the University of Illinois, told the convention that steady prices rather than high prices were the greatest need of the farming industry. He asserted the industry would withstand the losses due to recent price declines if the losses were equally distributed.

The establishment of warehouses throughout the country of sufficient capacity to permit even distribution of farm products during the entire year was advocated by Asbury Lever of the Federal Farm Loan Board as a permanent safeguard for the farmers against big declines in prices. His plan included the sale by the Government of certificates issued against the warehouse receipts, which he said would give ready money to the farm producers.

He also suggested the formation of foreign trade corporations under the Edge act. The warehouse plan, he said, involved the standardization of staple agricultural products of a warehouseable character into grades and classes; the building up under Federal, State, or both, regulation and inspection of a system of bonded warehouses for such products; the issuance of uniform elevator or warehouse receipts; the pooling, regionally, of these warehouse receipts in the hands of a Government appointee, and the issuance against these pooled warehouse receipts of a certificate, debenture or bond and the selling of the same to the investing public.

A proposal was made to the delegates late tonight by Willis H. Booth of the Guaranty Trust Company, New York, for improving and strengthening the foreign credit and export situation, fostered by the American Bankers' Association and involving concerted action and support by the banking, agricultural ad industrial interests of the country. A new organization would build up foreign credit to enable foreign agencies to buy surplus products produced in America.

A committee will be appointed by the federation to meet with a committee of the American Bankers' Association in Chicago next Friday and Saturday, when a definite plan will probably be formulated.

TO CUT COTTON ACREAGE.

Bankers, Merchants and Planters Lay Plans at Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 7.—Revival of the War Finance Corporation was indorsed at a conference here today of bankers, merchants and planters from all of the cotton-growing States as a means of immediately remedying present depressed conditions in the cotton market. Committees were appointed to perfect plans to bring about a drastic curtailment in cotton production next year as a move to permanently stabilize the industry.

A telegram was sent to Washington urging on Congress the need of immediately reviving the War Finance Corporation.

Committees to devise means of enforcing a reduction in cotton acreage and the raising of greater food and feed crops, which leaders in the movement declare will amount to a curtailment of at least 50 per cent. in the acreage planted in cotton, were named after addresses by Governor Parker of Louisiana, Chairman of the conference, and others. Governor Parker suggested that bankers refuse to extend credit to farmers who do not join the acreage reduction movement.

HOLD HALF OF CROP.

Kansas Wheat Growers Have 77,500,000 Bushels.

Special to The New York Times.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 7.—Of the 145,000,000 bushels of wheat raised in Kansas this year, farmers still have 77,500,000 bushels, or 54.4 per cent. of the crop, according to a report published today by J. C. Mohler, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture.

At about the same date last year 35.1 per cent., or 50,000,000 bushels, was in the possession of producers; two years ago, 11 per cent., or 10,000,000 bushels, was reported as held by growers.

WESTERN UNION IS OUT WITH FRANCE

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Hence all messages must be filed with the French Post Office, which in turn deals directly with the cable companies or forwards the messages to the British Post Office.

"We notified the French Government that we would not accept messages out of France for the United States unless paid on the gold franc basis after Dec. 1. This the French Government declined to do, and the result is that the traffic heretofore handled by us out of France now goes over the cross-Channel companies to London and is handed to us by the British Post Office.

Tells of $1,000,000 Loss.

"We've lost over $1,000,000 in the last year through the operation of the franc exchange, and we think that is quite enough to justify our refusal to operate on any but a gold franc basis."

Meeting complaints that the diversion of all traffic to the cross-Channel lines had resulted in serious delays to commercial and press cable messages, Mr. Carlton said that the delay was a transient affair, due, he understood, to a break in cables somewhere in the English Channel which would soon be repaired. He added that the Western Union was extremely anxious to help the American press in any way it could serve.

"We don't give two whoops about the four-cent press rate," he remarked. "We are trying to put the commercial business on a basis where we shan't have to sustain losses."

Mr. Carlton added his suspicion that the French cable administration was trying to sidestep westbound cable business so that it could avoid the losses by exchange and concentrate its facilities on the more remunerative eastbound matter.

He pointed out that the Western Union would continue to handle cable messages bound into France.

DENIES CONFLICT ON CABLES

International Conference Asserts Reports in the Press Are Unauthorized

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The International Communications Conference, while so far refraining from disclosing what has been done during the several months it has been in session in Washington, issued a brief statement today denying responsibility for current newspaper accounts relative to the failure of the conference so far to reach any agreement relative to the disposition of the German cables. The statement follows:

"The committee of the Communications Conference dealing with the disposal of German cables is meeting frequently and discussing the numerous intricate problems involved. The statements with regard to this question which have recently appeared in the press, some of which are misleading, have not been authorized by any responsible member of any of the delegations. A summary of the work of the other subcommittees, which have completed their work, is being prepared for early publication."

This summary of the work of the subcommittees is expected to be issued tomorrow afternoon and it will, for the first time, penetrate partially the veil of secrecy with which the work of the conference has been enveloped.

CABLE INQUIRY DEC. 15.

Senate Sub-Committee Will Discuss the Miami Landing Dispute.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—An investigation of the whole subject of cable landings in the United States, and more particularly of the disagreement between the State Department and the Western Union Telegraph Company regarding the landing of a Barbados cable at Miami, Fla., will be started on Dec. 15 by a sub-committee of the Senate Interstate Commerce Sub-Committee.

Senator Kellogg of Minnesota, Chairman, announced today that Norman H. Davis, Under-Secretary of State, and Newcomb Carlton, President of the Western Union, would probably be the first witnesses.

ACCEPT BRITAIN'S TERMS.

Reds Ask Conference to Settle Details of Trade Agreement.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Following upon a long dispatch which Leonid Krassin received from Moscow, in the nature of a commentary on the trade agreement submitted by Great Britain, another dispatch arrived today accepting the main provisions of the agreement.

Another conference between the British and Soviet representatives is requested, to discuss details before final ratification.

WOULD MARKET COTTON BY OPERATIONS ABROAD

Gloves Made by Cheap Labor Would Be Resold Here at Usual Price.

Special to The New York Times.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 7.—With at least one large concern ready to close its plant so as to avail itself of cheap foreign labor, the plans of the Mississippi Delta Cotton Export and Trading Corporation are maturing to the point where success in marketing some of the cotton crop of the South, particularly low grade staple, seems assured.

Gerald Fitzgerald of Clarksdale, Miss., delegate to the cotton conference, made this announcement today, with the statement that an Ohio manufacturer of cotton gloves had offered to close his plant, throwing most of his employes out of work, if the Mississippi Delta Cotton Export and Trading Corporation would enter into an agreement with him whereby the two concerns would share the profits to be made under the plan proposed. Eighty million dollars for one year's option was mentioned as the basis of the deal.

The corporation under the plan would ship great quantities of cotton to Europe, Germany included. There cheap labor would manufacture the staple into gloves, &c., the basis of pay being the mark, 74 of which are now required to buy an American dollar. The goods then would be shipped to America, where they would pay a duty of 20 per cent. This would enable the manufacturing concern to put the goods of foreign manufacture on the American market at a tremendous profit, as the same price would be asked for them that is demanded for the native product.

The manufacturing plant would retain its sales force and use it to market the European goods, the cotton corporation supplying the staple and waiting for its return until the goods had been sold. The profits then would be split on a basis that would enable the corporation to obtain 18 to 20 cents a pound for low grade cotton.

Three of Destroyer's Crew Drowned.

PORTSMOUTH, R. I., Dec. 7.—Three members of the crew of the destroyer Edsall were drowned late today when a motor dory lowered from the vessel capsized. Three others were rescued. The Edsall, which has been in commission two weeks, was coaling at the Naval Station preparatory to proceeding to the Pacific.

HARDING LEAVES CARD FOR WILSON

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quarter. Without submitting any concrete plan of his own, he is said to have asked plainly what sort of international agreement each of his conferees would support.

The discussion of Cabinet selections had a wider scope, several of his trusted friends undertaking to canvass the situation in separate conferences at various places throughout the capital. Harry M. Daugherty was one of the most active in this task, seeing members of the Senate and House in Mr. Harding's office while the President-elect was occupied with his own callers at the residence of Mr. McLean.

Former Senator Weeks of Massachusetts also saw several prominent Republican leaders after he had talked to Mr. Harding.

A third who performed a similar mission was Senator Fall of New Mexico, whose activities brought his name into fresh prominence as a possible member of the official family of the next President. In the gossip about the Capitol he was mentioned variously for State and Interior Department portfolios.

William R. Willcox, former Chairman of the Republican National Committee, called to ask Mr. Harding to speak at the laying of the cornerstone of the Roosevelt Home in New York City on Jan. 3. The invitation was taken under advisement, but Mr. Willcox announced that he had every hope it would be accepted.

Pleased by Results of Visit.

Special to The New York Times.

ON BOARD HARDING SPECIAL TRAIN EN ROUTE TO MARION, YORK, Pa., Dec. 7.—Senator Harding expressed himself tonight as satisfied with the results of his Washington conferences, and said that he had accomplished so much during his visit that it would be hardly necessary for him to return before inauguration. His conferences have given him needed background to the political situation with which he was out of touch on his vacation in Texas and Panama.

Senator Harding stated that some of his conferees had brought up the matter of patronage, a subject to which, he said, he would give no consideration at present.

One of the most enjoyable interviews he had in Washington, Mr. Harding said, was with General Nivelle at the home of Senator New last night. The President-elect had an informal talk of three-quarters of an hour with the defender of Verdun.

The President-elect confirmed the report that Herbert Hoover would be one of the first to visit him at Marion. He added that William H. Taft, Charles E. Hughes, Elihu Root and George Harvey would be in Marion soon.

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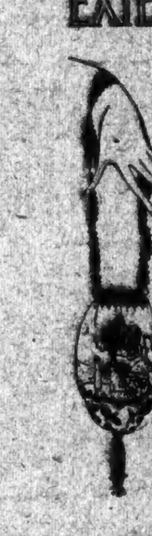

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LEAGUE TAKES STEPS FOR WAR ON TYPHUS

Oratory Flows in Assembly, Though Secret Commission Had Framed Action.

COMMITTEE TO WAGE FIGHT

Member May Reject Blockade Order, Report Will Urge—Argentinians Leave Geneva.

By EDWIN L. JAMES.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Dec. 7 (by Telephone to Paris).—The League of Nations Assembly's meeting today was devoted to a discussion of typhus and cholera. Incidentally it uncovered a weak point in the League as it exists—whenever such a subject upon which everybody is agreed comes up there are too many speeches and too much time is wasted in the talk of delegates who have already agreed upon the matter, as every one knows.

The net results of the meeting were, first, the announcement that £200,000 only of the £2,000,000 asked for had been subscribed by the world in reply to the Council's appeal; second, it was decided that the Assembly should make a new appeal to nations and welfare societies, and, third, that the Assembly should appoint a committee of three to conduct the fight against typhus. It now remains to be seen whether the Assembly will succeed better than the Council has done.

This new appeal and the formation of the Committee of Three had previously been decided on in secret commission and most of the speeches heard today had also been made there. But with 200 newspaper correspondents in the gallery the delegates plunged into a flood of oratory for three whole hours, in an argument against holding debates in public. From the practical viewpoint the commission's discussion would have sufficed and the Assembly meeting today would not have been wasted.

Aid Is Pledged Unconditionally.

Sir George E. Foster, Canada, said that Canada withdrew the conditions attached to her offer of $200,000. Poland could not fight typhus unaided and it was a danger to all Europe.

Dr. Nansen emphasized the urgency of making a barrier against typhus in Poland, "because Russia is already sodden with it."

M. Hanotaux of France said that there were no strings to the French offer of 1,000,000 francs. A. J. Balfour said the name of England's £50,000. Wellington Koo pledged China's support. Palaccio of Greece said that his country would give £40,000.

Ignace Paderewski declared that typhus was an aftermath of the war in Poland and had not been endemic there before. The Government would do its best, but couldn't master typhus alone.

It was announced that Dec. 18 had been tentatively fixed for the Assembly meeting's termination.

The Argentine delegation left tonight. It will be remembered that Señor Pueyrredon gave the fact that the Assembly wasted time talking about typhus as one of the reasons for his withdrawal.

Nation May Reject Blockade Order.

GENEVA, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—The Commission on Economics of the League of Nations Assembly today unanimously decided that no member of the League shall be permitted to blockade an offending member without the consent of the Council of the League, but that a member may reject the decision of the Council if it believes it to be unjust.

This action came at the close of a three-hour debate at a public session of the commission, which developed two definite divisions of opinion among the States. One group, led by Signor Schanzer of the Italian delegation, took the view that it would be fatal if each power were permitted to commence a blockade whenever it considered its course right and without a decision by the Council.

The other group, the spokesman of which was Hjalmar Branting of Sweden, Chairman of the Commission on Disarmament, Blockades and Mandates, opposed the placing of the decision in the hands of the Council. "My country will never yield to the Council the right to decide when a blockade shall be instituted," M. Branting asserted.

Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa, suggested a compromise permitting States to reject a decision by the Council if the States thought the decision was not right. A. L. Baker of the British delegation, emphasized the necessity of setting up at once some sort of temporary machinery which could and probably would be altered at the next session.

The report of the commission now goes to the Assembly.

One of the acts of the Assembly this morning was to approve the decision of the Committee on Relations Between the Assembly and the Council for the elimination of the entire paragraph of its report which provided that the Assembly had no power to take up questions within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Council. Delegate Rowell of Canada, who made the report, pointed out that the elimination did not change the present situation. The report, being merely interpretative could not change the relations between the Council and the Assembly, he remarked, but was merely explanatory of the provisions of the covenant.

BORDEN WARNS ON ARTICLE X.

Says It Seems to Involve Survey of Territorial Questions.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Dec. 7.—Canada's principal objection to Article X. of the League of Nations covenant is that she does not wish to involve herself in "the preservation of the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all the members of the League," Sir Robert Borden, head of the Dominion peace delegation, asserted in a memorandum made public today.

The memorandum further sets forth that "the undertaking included in this clause of the article seems to involve initially a careful survey, consideration and determination of all territorial questions between the various States," and declares that "even if such a survey were practical it would be impossible to forecast the future."

DENY REPORT ABOUT COLBY.

Not True That He Will Omit Argentina on His Trip or Revise Speeches.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—There is no foundation for a report sent out from Washington this evening that because of the attitude of Argentina in the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva, Secretary Colby will omit that country from his itinerary or will revise his speech scheduled to be delivered at Buenos Aires.

A correspondent at the daily conference with Assistant Secretary Norman Davis at the State Department today tried to induce Mr. Davis to say that Secretary Colby would have to revise the Buenos Aires speech. Mr. Davis laughed at the suggestion and replied he knew of no speeches having yet been prepared by Mr. Colby for delivery on his trip.

CHILEAN DEFENDS ARGENTINA.

Senator Bulnes Says She Championed the Rights of Ex-Neutrals.

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SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 7.—Senator Gonzalo Bulnes, diplomatic go-between from Chile to Argentina, who recently returned from Buenos Aires, where he went on a diplomatic mission in connection with the League of Nations, publishes a signed article in this morning's papers designed to win Chilean support for Argentina's withdrawal.

"The position of Argentina and other neutral States is distinctly different from the position of those powers that are bound to the League by their treaty signatures," the article says. "Having been invited to co-operate in any new organization, Argentina obviously was entitled to state the conditions under which she would lend her signature and her responsibility to the League. Argentina did not consider it compatible with her national dignity to renounce this right and thus become the tool of the other powers.

"In championing the rights of neutrals so that they might not be assigned to positions in the League inferior to those of the nations which signed the treaty Argentina championed the rights of Chile and all other countries of similar status, thus placing Argentina upon a high plane of international justice and dignity."

RANCOR OVER LEAGUE IN BERLIN COMMENT

Vorwaerts Hails Argentina as Having Stood Against French Dictatorship.

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By Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—The Argentine withdrawal from the League of Nations Assembly is praised here by newspapers of all shades of opinion as a noble deed dictated by the highest idealism which. Vorwärts says, seemed to have left the world altogether since the peace of Versailles was imposed on Germany after she had been tricked into and disarmed by the "fraudulent" armistice.

"The Versailles Treaty," continues Vorwärts, "meant not only the complete abandonment of the Wilson program but the moral bankruptcy of the whole world. Now selfishness, brutality and fraud become the dominant factors in international relations, and in the rivalry between western European imperialism and half-Asiatic Bolshevism these dominant factors reached their highest perfection."

Vorwärts recounts the circumstances in which the League became part of the Versailles Treaty, which, it says, degraded Germany to the state of a Pariah nation.

"In these circumstances," the paper continues, "Germany should have regarded it as an honor not to belong to this League, which considered Liberia sufficiently cultivated for membership. But in their dire moral and material distress the German people thought they could not afford to waive any chance of future benefit possibly accruing from membership, which was therefore considered desirable. Alas, the first sessions have proved that the spirit of Versailles and of France will be predominant at Geneva and her mute threat 'if Germany is accepted as a member France will resign' sufficed to make the English delegates drop their mediatory efforts and acquiesce in the French dictum that the League should remain merely an instrument of brutal force in the hands of the victorious Entente."

"Vainly several delegates of the smaller neutral States protested in some form or other. Most of the other delegates accepted the French dictatorship. But before the great powers had quite accomplished their sinister purpose the Argentine bomb exploded and caused a rent in the League of Nations that will widen rapidly, and may cause its complete collapse.

"We shall not play your criminal game," that is the real sense of Pueyrredon's masterful, courageous letter to the President of the League of Nations, its call to the world's conscience. We are encouraged even now to rejoice that the Versailles League of Nations is dead. Long live the true League of Nations."

INDICATES ARGENTINA WILL QUIT THE LEAGUE

Pueyrredon Expects Early Declaration of His Intention of Total Withdrawal.

GENEVA, Dec. 7.—Honorio Pueyrredon, head of the Argentine delegation, just before his departure for Paris tonight informed The Associated Press that Argentina's withdrawal from the Assembly would probably be followed shortly by a formal declaration of her intention to leave the League.

"The only condition under which Argentina will resume her place is the adoption of her four proposals in substance," said Señor Pueyrredon. "Argentina's notification of her desire to quit the League entirely may be construed as dating from the day we left the Assembly, and unless the Assembly acts favorably on my amendments Argentina will declare herself out of the League at the expiration of two years, as provided in the covenant.

"I am more convinced than ever that the course I have adopted is just and the only one possible under the circumstances. I have had many cablegrams congratulating me from Argentina, and the President upholds me. I am greatly encouraged by the speeches by American Congressmen in support of my decision.

"The Assembly will have to adopt the four proposals I offered if the League is to be made a world wide instrument to prevent war, such as its originator intended."

Senor Pueyrredon sent in his resignation as one of the Vice Presidents of the Assembly and also as a member of several commissions.

BARS LIQUOR SALES ON AMERICAN SHIPS

Solicitor General Frierson Holds Prohibition Applies to Them on High Seas.

ALSO IN FOREIGN WATERS

Floor Taxes on Distilled Spirits Due on Ship Stocks for Sale.

Special to the New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—In the opinion of Solicitor General William L. Frierson, no liquor can be sold on ships flying the American flag, whether the vessels are on the high seas or in foreign waters. In a statement issued tonight by William M. Williams, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, "for the information and guidance" of his staff, the Solicitor General's opinion is included.

While the Commissioner's statement does not contain the opinion as a ruling, it is understood that it must be followed as a policy of the Internal Revenue Bureau. The letter containing the opinion was dated Nov. 1, but was not made public until today.

Under the opinion, the practice indulged in by certain American ships of carrying liquor for sale at the bar on voyages from Europe, must be abandoned. The liquor cannot be sold on the voyage, according to the ruling.

It is the belief of revenue officers that the policy will be difficult to enforce in foreign waters. The idea here is that masters of vessels will be held responsible, and that Consuls will be asked to report violations. Further regulations concerning the opinion will be formulated later it was said.

Text of the Opinion.

The letter of Solicitor General Frierson containing the opinion reads:

"Department of Justice, Washington, Nov. 1, 1920.

"Hon. David Houston, Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.,

"Dear Mr. Secretary:

"I have the honor of acknowledging receipt of your letter of July 19, 1920, in which you request an opinion upon the following questions of law:

"1. Whether the floor tax imposed by Section 308, Act of Oct. 3, 1917, (40 stat. 300) and the floor tax imposed by Section 604, Act of Feb. 24, 1919, (40 stat. 1057) apply to distilled spirits held on board American ships for sale beyond the three-mile limit, some of the ships, as the instance of the case being at dock in this country, some on the high seas and others in foreign waters. In each instance the spirits were produced in or imported into the United States prior to the effective dates of the acts in question.

"2. Whether the 'National prohibition act' (Act of Oct. 28, 1919), (41 stat. 305) applies to intoxicating liquors, as defined in Section 1, title II. of said act, on board American ships, when such ships are (1) at dock in this country; (2) on the high seas; (3) in foreign waters.

"You are advised as follows:

"Section 303 of the Act of Oct. 3, 1917, reads:

That upon all distilled spirits produced in or imported into the United States upon which the tax now imposed by law has been paid, and which, on the day this act is passed, are held by a retailer in a quantity in excess of fifty gallons in the aggregate or held by any person, corporation, partnership or association in any quantity, and are intended for sale, there shall be levied, assessed, collected and paid a tax of $1.10 (or if intended for sale for beverage purposes or for use in the manufacture or production of any article used or intended for use as a beverage) on a proof gallon, and a proportionate tax at a like rate on all fractional parts of such proof gallon: Provided, that the tax on such distilled spirits in the custody of a court of bankruptcy in insolvency proceedings on June 1, 1917, shall be paid by the person to whom the court delivers such distilled spirits at the time of such delivery, to the extent that the amount thus delivered exceeds the fifty gallons hereinbefore provided.

"Section 604 of the act of Feb. 24, 1919, provides:

That upon all distilled spirits produced in, or imported into the United States upon which the internal revenue tax now imposed by law has been paid, and which, on the day after the passage of this act, are held by any person and intended for sale or for use in the manufacture or production of any article intended for sale, there shall be levied, assessed, collected, and paid a floor tax of $3.20 (if intended for sale for beverage purposes or use in the manufacture or production of any article used or intended for use as a beverage) on a proof gallon, and a proportionate tax at a like rate on all fractional parts of such proof gallon.

"I...assume that question 1 relates alone to stocks of spirits belonging to ships and intended for sale on such shipboard, and not to spirits being transported to foreign ports as freight. It is stated that these liquors previous to the passage of the two acts quoted, had been produced in or imported into the United States, and the question is whether being on board American ships they were so held at the time of the passage of the respective acts as to be subject to the tax imposed.

"The descriptive language of both acts is 'held by any person * * * and intended for sale,' &c. It is not doubted, I believe, that an American vessel is itself subject to the taxing power of the Government at its home port, whether it be there, upon the high seas or in foreign waters at the time the tax is levied. The taxes levied by the statutes above referred to of course apply only to such spirits as were held at the time the acts were passed. Since they were on board a ship which was itself subject to this taxing power, I cannot doubt that they became subject to the tax imposed by these statutes, whether the vessel on which they were held was at dock in this country, on the high seas or in foreign waters.

Scope of Prohibition Laws.

"2. The Eighteenth Amendment by its terms applies to the United States and 'all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof.' The national prohibition act does not contain any language limiting the territory within which it is to be in effect. It simply enacts that certain transactions with respect to intoxicating liquors shall be unlawful, and provides that any person who violates its provisions shall be punished. It is clear, therefore, that this legislation prescribes rules of law which shall be in force wherever the laws of Congress are applicable.

"By virtue of the Eighteenth Amendment, Congress is empowered to legislate on this subject without regard to State or other lines, and with respect to all territory subject to the jurisdiction of the United States. Except, therefore, as its operation in particular possessions of the United States may be limited by special statutes applicable to those possessions the national prohibition act is in force throughout the jurisdiction of the United States.

"The question is, then, whether it furnishes rules of law which govern those on board an American vessel. That it does so apply when the vessel is in American waters I think no one will doubt. The question, then, is whether it applies when the vessel is on the high seas or in foreign waters. This question, also, I think I can now present no serious dispute. It was said in St. Clair vs. United States, 154 U. S. 134, 151:

A vessel registered as a vessel of the United States is in many respects considered as a portion of its territory, and the persons on board are protected and governed by the laws of the country to which the vessel belongs.

"It follows, therefore, that persons on board an American vessel wherever that vessel may be are governed by the laws of the United States to which they would be subject if within the United States. Indeed the jurisdiction of the Federal Government over them is much broader than when they are within the United States, and in the latter case, with respect to the great bulk of criminal laws, they are subject to the jurisdiction of the various States and not to that of the United States. The various States, however, have no jurisdiction, even of their own citizens, when on the high seas.

"For this reason, Congress may enact, and the Federal Government may enforce, criminal laws for the purpose of punishing offenders for offenses committed on the high seas which it would not be within the power of Congress to make applicable to the same offense if committed within one of the States. Thus, Chapter III of the Revised Statutes, beginning with Section 3339, contains a long list of offenses which if committed within one of the States would be beyond the power of the Federal Government to punish, and provides that when committed upon the high seas they shall be punished by the Federal Government.

Holds Territory Embraces Ships.

"In such cases, it was, of course, necessary to have a special statute, for the reason that Congress has no power to enact laws for the punishment of murder and the other offenses mentioned in Chapter III. of the Revised Statutes to be applicable generally throughout the United States. Any law, however, enacted by Congress, within its power, and made of general application is a law to which persons within the criminal jurisdiction of the United States are subject. The criminal jurisdiction of the United States is necessarily limited to their own territory, actual or constructive. After making this statement Mr. Justice Field, in United States vs. Smiley, 6 Sawyer 640, 645, stated the rule of law determining the territory subject to the criminal jurisdiction of the United States as follows:

Their actual territory is co-extensive with their possessions, including a marine league from their shores into the sea. * * * The constructive territory of the United States embraces vessels sailing under their flag; wherever they go they carry the laws of their country, and for a violation of them their officers and men may be subjected to punishment.

"It was for this reason that the Supreme Court said in St. Clair vs. United States (supra) that persons on board a vessel are protected and governed by the laws of the country to which the vessels belongs.

"The Eighteenth Amendment empowers Congress to enact laws applicable wherever the jurisdiction of the United States exists. The national prohibition act is a law of such general application. I cannot doubt, therefore, that it applies to those on board American ships whether in American waters, on the high seas or in foreign waters equally with those in any States of the United States.

"Respectfully,

"WILLIAM L. FRIERSON,
"Acting Attorney General."

MRS. MACSWINEY IN WASHINGTON

Lord Mayor's Widow Escorted to Host's Residence by Irish Sympathizers.

PLEASED WITH NEW YORK

Leaves, She Says, With Her Heart Filled With Love for the City and Its People.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Hundreds of Irish sympathizers thronged the Union Station tonight to greet Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the late Lord Mayor of Cork, on her arrival here from New York to testify before the commission appointed by the Committee of 100 investigating the Irish question.

Waving the colors of the "Irish Republic,' the crowd formed a parade outside the station to escort Mrs. MacSwiney and Miss Mary MacSwiney, her sister-in-law, who accompanied her, to a private residence, where they will be entertained during their visit here. The procession, which was arranged by the local membership of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, passed down Pennsylvania Avenue and thence by the White House on Executive Avenue.

Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of the Lord Mayor of Cork, departed yesterday afternoon at 3:25 on the Congressional Limited for Washington, where sue will appear either today or tomorrow before the "commission" organized by The National to conduct an investigation into Irish affairs. About 100 persons gathered at the Pennsylvania Station, some of them with flags of the Irish "Republic," to bid the visitor adieu.

Before starting Mrs. MacSwiney gave out a statement in which she said she was leaving the city and its people with her heart filled with love. After she has testified before the "commission she plans to spend the week-end with her sister-in-law, Margaret MacSwiney, at a convent in Asheville, N. C. She probably will return to New York early next week, beyond which time her plans are indefinite.

Mrs. MacSwiney yesterday morning called upon Archbishop Patrick J. Hayes. A small crowd had gathered in front of the Archbishop's residence, at Madison Avenue and Fifieth Street.

As Mrs. MacSwiney stepped from her motor car she was greeted with a kiss on the hand by Sally O'Gorman, a nursemaid, who had brought along a blue-eyed girl of two years. The child immediately attracted the attention of Mrs. MacSwiney. She kissed the child and then faced a battery of motion picture and other cameras. The nurse would not disclose the identity of the child, explaining that she had come from Providence to get a glimpse of the widow of the Lord Mayor of Cork, and that the parents of the child, who were bitterly anti-Irish, were ignorant that she had brought the child with her.

Mrs. MacSwiney remained at the Archbishop's residence only ten minutes. In addition to the Archbishop, Mrs. MacSwiney saw Chancellor Dunn, Father Shanley, Father Joseph P. Lineen, secretary to the Archbishop, and the Rev. Joseph A. Donahue, assistant secretary. Tuesday she returned to the Hotel St. Regis, where she conferred on business matters. Later she went on a sight-seeing tour. She was most impressed with the Grand Central Terminal and the Woolworth Building.

At the Grand Central Station she was quickly recognized by a small crowd that surrounded her. One young woman asked her to explain the origin of her maiden name. "I would like very much to do that, but it would take a long time," said Mrs. MacSwiney, so explained that there was quite a history attached to her name. She did tell her interrogator, however, "Muriel" was derived from the Gaelic "Murigeal," which means "bright Sea."

Mrs. MacSwiney had luncheon with Eamonn de valera, so-called "President of the Irish Republic," at the Waldorf-Astoria. From that hotel she was accompanied to the Pennsylvania Station by de Valera, Frank P. Walsh, Dudley Field Malone and Harry Boland, secretary to de Valera.

As Mrs. MacSwiney and her escort made their appearance on the concourse of the terminal, she was greeted by cheers from women, who waved their Irish banners. Two policemen kept the crowd back as she descended the stairs to the train platform.

In her statement Mrs. MacSwiney said:

"I am leaving New York today with a heart full of love for your wonderful city and its people. Four days among you have made me feel that you are my friends and that I am not a stranger.

"The cordial reception accorded my sister and myself—and there has been no untoward incident in our entire visit—has appealed to me strongly because I feel that it is not a tribute to us personally, but to the great cause of Irish freedom to which we, in common with thousands of our countrymen, have dedicated our lives. I am convinced, too, from the many messages I have received from throughout the United States since my arrival here that New York's love of liberty is the spirit of all America.

"When Ireland's fight for freedom is won—and it soon will be—the patriotic aid and encouragement of the United States will not be forgotten by a grateful Irish people."

CENSOR DELEGATES' OPERA.

Bored Diplomats Leave Hall Where Revised "Phiphi" Is Given.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Dec. 7, (by telephone to Paris).—Geneva, the home of John Calvin, has asserted itself. Whatever it is going to be as the home of the League of Nations it refuses to be a miniature Paris.

Last night for the first time at a theatre here there was performed the comic opera "Phiphi," which has run for over 1,000 nights in Paris. But, alas, it was not the Parisian "Phiphi."

At the dress rehearsal the Swiss censor, according to law, went to have a look. What he thought is not recorded but he set to work with vigor on the libretto with a large blue pencil. Whole lumps were cut out and the little risque jokes that pepper the Paris edition were slaughtered wholesale. Geneva had to be ransacked to find tights and garments sufficient to meet the censor's approval for the company members had come straight from Paris with only their Paris clothes.

At last the play was ready for performance in its Swiss version. It had been brought specially to cheer up the delegates and because its fame had spread to all the corners of the earth from which the delegates come they turned out in force to enjoy themselves.

The music was all right, for its nuances were too subtle for the censor's blue pencil. Both when the play began those who had heard the original version began to scratch their heads and wonder what had happened. The French delegation especially seemed perturbed. They stood it for twenty minutes and then went out.

By the middle of the second act nearly all the delegates had gone and by the end there were only the Swiss left. They seemed to enjoy the emasculated version.

ARREST SINN FEIN M. P.

Dr. Richard Lawless Seized—Two Councilors Freed.

DUBLIN, Dec. 7.—Dr. Richard Hayes, Sinn Fein member of the House of Commons, was arrested here today and taken to Wellington Barracks.

Councilors Lawless and Lawder, who were arrested in the raid on the City Hall yesterday, were released this afternoon.

WILSON NAMES OFFICIALS.

Sends 198 Nominations to the Senate for Confirmation.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Wilson today transmitted to the Senate 198 nominations for the confirmatory action of that body, the nominations including those of John Skelton Williams as Controller of the Currency, three members of the Interstate Commerce Commission, two of the tariff commission, and the six men recently selected by the President to comprise the personnel of the United States Shipping Board.

Edward Capps of New Jersey was nominated for Minister to Greece, Norman H. Davis to be Under Secretary of State, and Van Santvoord Merle-Smith of New York to be Third Assistant Secretary of State. The list also included thirty-three officers of the army promoted to general officers of the line and fourteen other officers as bureau chiefs with General rank. Major Gen. John A. Lejeune was nominated to be Major General Commandant of the Marine Corps, a position he now holds as the result of a recess appointment.

A large number of consular officials were also advanced in grade. Robert F. Whitehead of Virginia was nominated to be Commissioner of Patents; Frank D. Byington of Maryland to be Commissioner of Pensions; Ernest Lester Conner to be Director of the Coast and Geodetic Survey; George R. Harvey of Texas and Quentin Paredes of the Philippines to be Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the Philippines. Henry Jones Ford, James Duncan and Mark W. Potter to be Interstate Commerce Commissioners; William S. Culbertson and ex-Governor Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts to be members of the Tariff Commission, and David C. Wills of Ohio to be a member of the Federal Reserve Board.

Nicholas Kelley and S. Parker Gilbert, Jr., both of New York, were nominated to be Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury. The names of Miss Mabel Boardman and J. Thilman Hendrick, recess nominees for Commissioners of the District of Columbia, were also transmitted to the Senate.

WANTS ONE SOLDIER BUREAU

Representative Rogers Introduces Bill for Composite Agency.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Establishment of a composite governmental agency, under the Interior Department, to care for discharged and disabled soldiers, sailors and marines, is proposed in a bill introduced today by Representative Rogers, Republican, Massachusetts.

The bill would transfer the functions of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, the rehabilitation work of the Federal Board for Vocational Education and that part of the work of the Public Health Service having to do with the treatment of war veterans to the new agency.

NO TRUCE FOR IRISH UNTIL LEADERS QUIT

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promise with England on the basis of her latest so-called Home Rule bill. She will refuse to negotiate with England except as one free nation with another."

Laborites See Disorders in Cork.

CORK, Dec. 7.—The members of the Labor commission, who have arrived in Cork for what they intend to be a week's investigation of the situation, have already witnessed numerous disorders. There was considerable shooting and window smashing during the night. An Irishman who stepped up to the commissioners at the entrance to their hotel and requested them to inspect a jewelry store nearby, which had been partially wrecked, was arrested by a Black and Tan after rough treatment. The commissioners also saw a squad of auxiliaries today holding up and searching pedestrians and the occupants of vehicles.

The commission, after returning from Bandon this afternoon, visited the shops wrecked last evening and questioned the proprietors. Later the commission obtained the release of the Irishman who had asked the investigators to inspect the damage to his jewelry store. Two adjoining buildings were completely wrecked, one of which was occupied by a woman and her invalid husband, the other by a woman and her seven children.

Among those held up in the streets today by the auxiliary police was the Captain of an American steamer lying in the harbor and the stenographer of the Labor commission.

Disturbances and raids today by the Black and Tans left the city tonight in a state of tense anxiety. A laborer was dangerously wounded by random firing from two lorry loads of auxiliaries.

The village of Blarney, near Cork, was invaded yesterday by armed and uniformed men, who raided and searched all houses.

TAMPERING WITH ARMY.

Authorities Are Watching, Questioner in Commons Is Told.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Careful watch is being kept upon activities by extremists to affect the army's loyalty, it was declared by Sir Archibald Williamson in the House of Commons today.

Sir Archibald replied to a question asking whether he was aware of "the insidious attempts that are being made by members of republican and revolutionary organizations in this country to undermine the loyalty of the army."

"I am aware of these attempts," he said, "and the activities of extremists to undermine the loyalty of the army are being carefully watched by the military authorities, and the necessary steps are being taken, but it would not be in the public interests to give details."

Sir James Craig, for the Admiralty, made an identical reply to a similar question concerning the navy's loyalty.

LORDS ADVANCE HOME RULE.

End Committee Stage—Expect Commons to Reject Amendments.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The House of Lords today concluded the committee stage of the Home Rule bill. It is the general belief that the Lords' amendments of the bill, the alterations made in the constitution of the Senate and the taxation proposals will cause disagreement in the House of Commons.

The report stage will be taken on Monday and the third reading of the bill is fixed for Tuesday next.

ARRESTED MAN LIVED HERE.

Police Commissioner Tells Colby British Hold an American.

Acting Police Commissioner John A. Leach yesterday informed Secretary of State Colby that former Police Lieutenant John Scanlon, who has been arrested by the British in Ireland, is an American citizen.

Scanlon was born in County Clare in 1862 and became a naturalized citizen of this country in 1889. He joined the police force in 1892, was promoted to Sergeant in 1902 and Lieutenant in 1910. He was attached to the Alexander Avenue precinct. In 1912 he retired owing to ill health and returned to County Clare with a pension.

But for the war he would have brought his wife back to America in 1914 and have spent the rest of his life here. Instead, he bought a farm at Killaloe. His American citizenship was established in Ireland by the American Consul, who decided that he could not vote in Ireland.

Scanlon was arrested a year ago, but was released three days later. In letters to his friend, Lieutenant Kenneth J. Hart of the Central Park Station, he has bitterly assailed the conduct of the British in Ireland and by these letters has shown that his sympathies are entirely on the side of Sinn Fein.

TELLS OF IRISH KILLINGS.

Priest Who Ministered to Dying Officers Returns on Finland.

Father Patrick Barry of St. Gabriel's Church, East Thirty-seventh Street, who returned on the Red Star liner Finland from a trip to Rome and Ireland, said that he was almost an eye witness of the killing of two British officers, Captain McGowan and Lieutenant Lawrence Wilde, in Dublin three weeks ago. He was returning from mass on the Sunday morning and rushed to the rooms of the dying men in time to administer the last rites of the church.

"I missed the shooting by about a minute," Father Barry continued. "The band entered the hotel without any disguise with revolvers in their hands and ordered the guests to put their hands up. Then they examined the book to find the rooms occupied by the apparently condemned men, and rushed upstairs and shot Captain McGowan to death at once as his door was open. It took longer to kill Lieutenant Wilde as he heard them coming and tried to hold his door against them."

The liner brought 2,000 sacks of Christmas mail and $3,500,000 in gold bars consigned to Kuhn, Loeb & Co. in addition to 133 first and 314 second class passengers the liner brought 836 steerage passengers.

The French liner Lorraine arrived from Havre yesterday afternoon, thirty-six hours late on account of the storms, with 143 first, 298 second and 477 third class passengers.

Among the cabin passengers was Barnet Young, owner of the Castle Theatre in Second Avenue, who said that he had been detained in Russia by the Bolsheviki since 1917. He finally escaped with a Bolshevist passport.

SOCIALISTS FOR IRELAND.

Chicago Meeting Calls for Intervention of America.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The Socialist Party, in a resolution adopted last night by the Executive Council and made public today, calls upon the Government of the United States "to use its efforts toward preventing a continuation of the existing outrages now being committed upon the Irish people and officially recognize the Irish Republic."

Another resolution, dealing with the reasons why the Socialist Party did not affiliate with the Russian Third International and agree to the twenty-one terms laid down by the Moscow Soviet, says:

"We concede to the Russian comrades the right to formulate their own internal policies without interference from any other section of the working class movement of the world. What we concede to them we claim for ourselves."

The text of the Irish resolution, which attacks the Lloyd George Government, says, in part:

"The Socialist Party of the United States, in common with the Socialist Parties of the world, protests against the bloody régime in Ireland. The savage repression indulged in by the Lloyd George Government in Ireland, in the face of a great popular vote in favor of Irish independence, is a cynical commentary on the ethical pretensions of the ruling classes in England."

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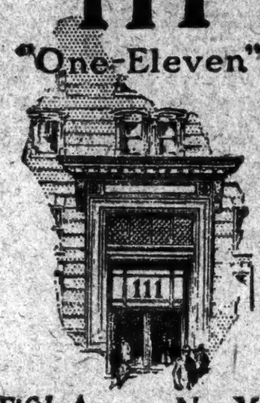

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U. S. ARMY CAPTAIN WAS GERMAN SPY

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None of us were to attempt a blow at the Allies while here. We were simply to get into the good graces of our commanders, furnish what information we could.

"I enlisted in Albany soon after my arrival in this country. Within a very short time my ability as a soldier was recognized and I was promoted. I became a non-commissioned officer. Then when the United States entered the war and I knew I could be of greater service I got a commission and was with my regiment at Camp Sevier.

Deserted After Armistice.

"My heart was nearly broken when I discovered that my regiment probably would not be sent to France. I would have died for my country gladly. So, fifteen days after the armistice, I took the company fund money and left camp.

"I'm telling you this freely, because I might as well be dead. Life does not matter much to me."

In answer to a question from Detective O'Leary, according to the latter, as to what the self-confessed spy would have done to aid the German cause while with an American regiment in France, Willet replied:

"I might as well be dead over there as to be here. There are better men buried over there. I probably would have led the men to slaughter."

Willet said that after he left Camp Sevier, where the Thirtieth Division, composed of the National Guard of the Carolinas and Tennessee, was in training, he started traveling. He took this decision, he said, after finding that it would be impossible to obtain a passport to Germany. He said he had endeavored to the utmost of his ability to get back to the Fatherland so that he might participate in the work of rehabilitating Germany.

For some time he was uncertain which way to strike out. Eventually, he said, according to the detectives' version, he decided to head for the Pacific Coast. He toured the Pacific Slope, he said, and then came East again. Then he repeated his jaunt to the Coast, "my plan was to keep on the move," he remarked.

Marries Chicago Girl.

A year ago he stopped in Chicago, where he met a Miss Crawford. The acquaintance ripened into love, he continued, and they were married, the detective not disclosing where the marriage took place nor by whom it was performed. His wife, the former Captain said, was an American, whose parents were of English descent. She, he said, was the only one who knew his secret.

A few months ago, the alleged confession continued, Willet came to this city and started a mail order business in a small way at 542 West Fifty-third Street, near Tenth Avenue, using his wife's maiden name in the conduct of his business. He indicated, according to the police, that the business had not been wholly successful.

Last Friday, Willet said, he slipped and fell in his apartment at Riverside Drive and 162d Street, where he had lived since his arrival from Chicago. He broke a pair of spectacles rimmed heavily with tortoise shell, which he had worn as a partial disguise, "and I knew then that I was in for a run of hard luck." In fact, Willet attributed his capture last night to the fact that the absence of this "mask" revealed his identity to his former fellow-officer.

At this point in the questioning, said Detective O'Leary, one of the policemen asked what Willet had done with the $8,000 which was missing from the company in the Forty-eighth Infantry. The prisoner replied, the police said, that he had spent what remained over and above his traveling expenses in educating a nephew. The name of this nephew was not brought out, nor was it indicated whether Willet had sent any of the money to relatives in Germany.

He admitted, according to the detectives, that he stole a considerable sum in registered Liberty bonds in the course of his travels, but whether or not these had been disposed of was not made public.

When Willet was asked whether he was a citizen of the United States, the detectives said his response was:

"No, I am not a citizen and I never would become one. However, I have travelled all over the United States, but all the while I was trying to get a passport to Germany."

At another point in his examination, as later related by the police, Willet asked Detective O'Leary whether he would be permitted to send his wife some money. He handed the detective a $5 note and several checks.

Spies in Washington.

It was at this point in the questioning that one of the detectives who sought information as to German spy activities at Washington elicited the response:

"You would be surprised if you knew how many high German officials held jobs at Washington during the war."

"Are they still there?" the detective is said to have asked.

"That I don't know," it is alleged Willet replied, "but there were many of them during the war."

When the questioning was brought to bear on Willet's personal affairs, he was asked whether his wife knew that he was a German spy, and he replied:

"I've told her a good deal, but of course I did not tell her all," and then with a shrug of seeming indifference, he added: "Why, it was an honor to be chosen for this work. Wouldn't you consider it an honor if your nation selected you to go into a foreign country and do a bit of valuable service?"

The police said that the suspicion that Willet had some connection with the enemy was aroused after he fled from Camp Sevier, when officers who examined the personal effects that he left behind found five books in German. What these books were was not disclosed, the police said, adding that they had not learned whether they were military textbooks.

Willet's Apartment Searched.

The Willet apartment, according to Detective O'Leary, was searched late yesterday afternoon for evidence corroborating the story Willet told, but this phase of the investigation, he added, was carried on by the Federal authorities as Willet was a Federal prisoner. He said he had learned that Federal agents had questioned Mrs. Willet. An attempt to reach the agents last night was unsuccessful.

"I consider Willet a valuable prisoner to the Government," said Detective O'Leary, who during the war was in the military intelligence service. "Our questioning was hurried, and the confession was not taken down in writing. As soon as we developed enough information to hold Willet, we got in touch with the military authorities. An armed guard was sent to us bearing a warrant for his arrest."

At Governors Island Lieutenant Chandler, prison officer, said Willet had been locked up in Castle Williams Prison and had made no statement. Lieutenant Chandler said Colonel Gullon, who took the case in charge, had reported that the military authorities had looked into the matter sufficiently to warrant holding Willet, but that much of the story told by the police could not be confirmed.

On the prison blotter the prisoner's name appeared as "John A. Willars." As the address given by Willet, 204 Riverside Drive, it was said no one of that name lived there.

DOUBTS WILLET'S STORY.

Adjutant General Harris Finds No Record of Him in Regular Army.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Major Gen. Peter C. Harris, Adjutant General of the Army, said late tonight that consultation of the records of his office failed to show that any John Willet, or Willar, had at any time been a Captain in the Regular Army of the United States. If he had served as a Captain, or officer of other rank, since 1916, said General Harris, it would have been under an emergency appointment. But this, the General explained, could not be learned until tomorrow, because the list of thousands who had served as "emergency" officers are in a branch office of the War Department in another part of the city, which was not open tonight.

One of the reports reaching Washington in connection with the arrest of Willet is a statement that he said he had deserted "in 1918." If so he had deserted from the Regular Army in that year; it would be useless to look in the list of those dropped from the rolls for desertion, General Harris said; examination of that list tonight had failed to disclose any officer of that name as having been dropped from the Regular Army.

General Harris and other officers of the army are inclined to think that Willet is indulging in exaggerations.

GIRL GETS BANDITS' SECRET

May Lead to Recovery of $200,000 in Liberty Bonds.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—A girl, wife of a former member of a band of bank robbers, obtained information yesterday from Ray Majors, a prisoner in the Missouri penitentiary at Jefferson City, which Federal authorities said today will probably lead to the recovery of between $150,000 and $200,000 of Liberty bonds stolen by the gang in Kansas.

The girl, 17 years old, wife of Charles Morris, who was wounded in a fight with the police in Colorado Springs two years ago, told Federal officers where the bonds were supposed to have been hidden.

A promise to Majors, the leader of the band, that his mother would receive sufficient reward for the recovery of the bonds to insure her a life of comfort caused him to disclose the hiding place, she said.

After the arrest of her husband in Colorado, Mrs. Morris surrendered to the police in Oklahoma City and disclosed valuable information.

The girl related to Federal officers how she had eloped with Morris from Oklahoma City when she was 14, thrilled by promises of travel and beautiful clothes. She said she heard the band discussing proposed robberies, but was warned, she said, to remain silent or she would be killed.

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DIVIDED ON METHOD OF TAX LEGISLATION

Chairman Fordney Wants Ways and Means Committee to Put Tariff Changes to the Fore.

OTHER MEMBERS OPPOSE

Committee Meets Today to Decide on Its Course, Preparatory to the Extra Session.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Marked difference of opinion exists among members of the House Ways and Means Committee and the Senate Finance Committee as to whether tariff revision or tax readjustment legislation shall be considered first in the committee, which are to draft revenue bills preparatory to the extra session.

Representative Fordney, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, insists that tariff charges should receive first consideration and that hearings should begin on Jan. 6. His plan, he said, would be to report a bill early in May, in the hope that it might become a law by the last of July.

Objection is made to this plan by many members of the committee, who hold that it is impossible to prepare a scientific tariff law at this time with the markets of the world so disturbed. Until normal conditions appear, when it will be possible to ascertain costs of production and normal wage scales, they say, nothing should be done about the tariff.

Representative Longworth holds that revision of the war-tax laws can be taken up and disposed of, while general tariff revision undertaken within the next few months, would be only temporary.

The Ways and Means Committee will meet tomorrow and try to decide on its course. It will probably authorize hearings on a bill to exempt from taxation incomes from mortgages not in excess of $40,000.

Representatives of Chambers of Commerce of New York, Philadelphia and Boston appeared before the Senate Finance Committee today to urge the extension of the revenue law to permit the deduction of losses this year in the payment of the last installment of the excess profits taxes. They received no encouragement and left convinced that no relief would be given and that the excess profits tax would not be repealed until general tax revision was taken up.

BILLS ON TAXES INTRODUCED

Senator Gay Wants Dec. 15 Installment Paid in Five Parts.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Two bills relating to taxes were introduced today in Congress. Senator Gay, Democrat, of Louisiana proposed that installments of taxes due Dec. 15 be paid in five parts, the first part on that date and the others on the 15th of each succeeding month until the total is paid. Representative Ackerman, Republican, New Jersey, proposed an amendment to the tax law permitting individuals and corporations to deduct from their 1920 tax assessment the total amount of taxes paid this year.

Senators Smith, Democrat, of Arizona and Nelson, Republican, of Minnesota introduced bills authorizing suspension of requirements of annual assessments on mining claims for 1920, and Senator Harris, Democrat, of Georgia offered a measure limiting the Federal Reserve Banks to a 5 per cent. interest rate in making rediscounts and another bill removing the restrictions on the type of paper to be rediscounted.

Dinner for Nathan Straus, Jr.

A congratulatory dinner to Nathan Straus Jr., State Senator-elect from the Fifteenth Senatorial District, was given last night at the Hotel Majestic by the Knickerbocker Civic League. Controller Charles L. Craig, Mrs. Simon Baruch, James Hagen and Assemblyman Martin McCue were among the speakers.

PUGILIST DYING FROM BLOW.

Mickey Shannon Injured in Jersey City Bout—Opponent Arrested.

Mickey Shannon, a heavyweight boxer of Pittsburgh, is dying in the City Hospital, Jersey City, as the result of a blow received in a boxing bout with Al Roberts of Staten Island at the Fourth Regiment Armory, Mercer Street and Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, last night. Shannon was knocked out in the sixth round, and suffered contusions and an internal hemorrhage at the base of the skull. When he failed to recover consciousness he was taken to the City Hospital, where surgeons said that he would not live through the night.

Roberts, Shannon's opponent, was immediately arrested, but was paroled in the custody of his manager, Billy Gibson, by County Judge Richard Doherty, who was one of the spectators of the bout. Roberts was charged with atrocious assault and battery, and if Shannon dies the boxer will face a charge of manslaughter.

The bout between Roberts and Shannon was the last of the evening, and was the feature one of the show, which was conducted by the Arena Athletic Club. In the sixth round Roberts drove a right to the jaw, which knocked Shannon over backward, his head striking the floor of the ring. He was counted out by the referee, but when efforts to rivive him failed, Dr. John Nevin, head of the City Hospital and Medical Director of the city, was called. After a brief examination Dr. Nevin ordered the boxer removed to the City Hospital. The knockout came after one minute and ten seconds of fighting in the sixth round.

ASKS NEGRO VOTE INQUIRY.

Society Offers Disfranchisement Proof to Congress.

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People yesterday made public a telegram to Representative George H. Tinkham of Massachusetts, who had announced that he would demand a Congressional inquiry regarding alleged disfranchisement of negroes in the South. The association offered to furnish necessary documents to prove that disfranchisement took place.

"More than 4,000 negroes were disfranchised in Jacksonville, Fla., alone in the election of 1920," the telegram stated. "Addresses and necessary proof will be placed in your hands."

Actress Settles Suit for $16,000.

Suit by Mrs. May Bell, wife of Dr. H. J. Taylor Bell, against the Casino Theatre Company for $50,000 damages because of injuries she suffered when playing in "Sinbad," was settled yesterday for $16,000 when the trial was about to begin in the Supreme Court. Mrs. Bell fell from the fourth to the third floor when a banister gave way.

KILLED BY MOONSHINERS.

Alabama Officer Shot by Band Which Frees Five Prisoners.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 7.—N. L. Pierce, State Prohibition Officer, announced that five warrants charging murder and violation of the prohibition laws would be sworn out tomorrow as the result of the killing of Richard D. Griffin, a Federal officer, near Colby Springs last night by alleged moonshiners. Griffin, who was accompanied by two other officers, was pursuing one of five prisoners who was attempting to escape when he was mortally wounded.

The assailants, Pierce believes, were moonshiners trailing the officers in the hope of freeing the prisoners. The two uninjured officers rallied about Griffin and engaged in a pistol battle with the assailants until one succeeded in getting to a telephone and summoning assistance. The prisoners escaped.

Held for Alleged Whisky Larceny.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 7.—Michael Ruggiero, charged with the larceny of $6,000 worth of whisky, the property of the proprietors of a Holyoke hotel, and with impersonating a revenue officer, was held over to the Grand Jury today in bonds of $12,000, which he was unable to furnish. Ruggiero is alleged to have conducted a fake raid with two other men on a house in Granby, where the liquor was stored, and to have forced the keeper to surrender the liquor at the point of a revolver.

JURY DISAGREES IN BACKER CASE

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the cost of limestone, plumbing and heating and ventilating contracts was furnished by John Aisenberg, a clerk in Hettrick's employ. Mr. Untermyer produced records obtained from Mr. Hettrick's files, some of which bore shorthand notes in the lawyer's handwriting.

On one of these papers appeared the shorthand characters "$600 for us." It was on the bid for limestone for Public School 144, Brooklyn. The job went to the Cohen Cut Stone Company for $11,345, although the lowest bidders of the five submitted to Hettrick a bid for $10,403. Hettrick changed the figures sent him by the contractors so that the Cohen Cut Stone Company was the lowest bidder to the Board of Education. An "accommodation" or "blind" bid was put in at a higher figure to impress the Board of Education with the idea that some one wanted to bid at a much higher figure, and that the lowest bidder was lower than he really was.

The contractors would furnish Hettrick with the estimated cost and profit of the job to their concerns, and then Hettrick would juggle the bids so that the man whose turn it was could bid low enough to get it, but always in advance of what he could well afford to do the work for. If Hettrick did not put in an "accommodation" bid the contractor might ask him to do so. The important fact, according to Mr. Untermyer, which he said was "the milk in the cocoanut" was that the bids were not furnished to the Board of Education until after the board announced how much it was ready to spend. Then the price was fixed as close to the board's limit as possible.

A contractor ready to do limestone work on Public School 43, 136th and Brown Streets, for $2,583 had the bid raised by Hettrick to $4,283. An "accommodation" bid for $5,260 was sent to the Board of Education.

School Bid Boosted.

When the Board of Education announced that it was ready to pay $105,000 for heating and ventilating work on Public School 100, six of Hettrick's Code of Practice men bid for the job. Gillis & Geoghegan were ready to do the work for $82,770. Hettrick wrung the contract to Wells & Newton, whose bid of $101,050 was the lowest bid to the city. The estimated cost of the work by Wells & Newton was $77,686 and their bid to Hettrick was $94,000.

The bids ranged from $82,700 to $93,790. They were as follows:

Bidders.	Cost of Material and Labor.	Bid to Hettrick.	Hettrick's Figure.
Gillis & Geoghegan.	$73,834	$82,770	$101,500
Daniel J. Rice	74,100	95,790	.....
Philip & Paul (accommodation bid)	.....	95,870	101,582
W. J. Olvaney	78,900	94,681	102,000
E. Rutzler Co.	75,848	.....	101,440
Wells & Newton	77,686	94,000	101,050

Occasionally contractors bid without authorization from Hettrick. On the contract for cut stone on Ward's Island there were seven bids. Four were "accommodation" bids ordered by Hettrick for a blind. He authorised three bids and fixed the one who was to get the work. The contract went to James B. Lenahan for $20,350. Lenahan's original bid was for $13,000.

A bid for cut stone work on Public School 83 was sent to the Board of Education for $8,970 after the bidder furnished a figure of $7,020 to Hettrick, making an increase of more than $1,900 on a $7,000 job.

When the afternoon session opened Mr. Untermyer called Peter Gallagher of Goodwin & Gallagher, sand dealers, to the stand. There was no response. The name of Eugene Clark, Secretary of the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, and that of Helen MacDonald, a clerk employed in the board's office, were also called. There was no response and Mr. Untermyer announced that the committee could not be trifled with. He said that Peter Gallagher and his brother were wanted by the committee as well as Miss MacDonald, Herbert Dupey of the Goodwin & Gallagher Company, Thomas Lanigan, Mr. Rouse, Mr. Scanlan, Frank Weiss, Mr. Wood, Mr. Kilcullan, John A. McCarthy, Cornelius McGuire, Audley Clarke and others.

Agrees to Produce Clients Today.

If the committee had the co-operation of the Federal authorities the witnesses would have to go to Mexico, Canada or Cuba, the lawyer declared. Later in the afternoon former State Senator Edgar T. Brackett, counsel for the Gallagher Brothers and Miss MacDonald, informed the committee that his clients had not been properly served. Mr. Untermyer threatened to put the matter before the Grand Jury and Mr. Brackett agreed to produce his clients today so that papers may be served on them.

Apparently the members of the Sand Gravel Board of Trade had gone to "join the sands of the sea" at Atlantic City or elsewhere, Mr. Untermyer asserted.

M. S. Wandell, Vice President of the New York Trap Rock Corporation, said that his company was the only trap rock company on the Hudson and that some time ago it had absorbed several limestone quarries. When questioned concerning an agreement between his organization and the Sand and Gravel Board of Trade, the witness insisted that he had made no contracts with the board as a board but only with individual members.

The New York Trap Rock Corporation handled a million cubic yards of stone annually, he said, and the two other dealers in New York, the Material Delivery Company and Tino & Co. handle only 20,000 yards. His sale in this city is upward of 500,000 yards, the remainder being sold outside.

Mr. Untermyer attempted to learn whether the New York Trap Rock Corporation sold only to dealers or builders. The witness remembered only one builder who had bought from his company in the last year, and that was on a contract made prior to the agreement with the members of the Gravel and Sand Board of Trade.

In his testimony Mr. Steers said that the only competitors he had in New York selling sand and gravel mixture was the New Marlborough Sand and Gravel Company. He thought they did about $500,000 or $600,000 worth of business.

"So far as the mixture is concerned, you have no competition?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

"Very little."

"You have got this great market practically all to yourself?"

"I hope so," said the witness smiling.

"How long do you hope you are going to be allowed to keep it?" the examiner asked.

"For many years," replied the witness.

"Well, we will see about it," said the lawyer.

Mr. Steers testified that he obtained the sand by dredging in Long Island Sound and that the company's own towboat hauled the product to New York. A profit was calculated on the work of the towboat, and this went to his company, the witness testified.

Q.—So you get it every which way? A.—Every way I can.

Q.—And you are going to continue to get it every way you are allowed to? A.—I suppose so.

Q.—Don't you think it is a very anomalous condition in this great city of New York, Mr. Steers, this sand situation, with the sand plentiful all around us, and somehow or other nobody able to get into the business? A.—No, it is not, Mr. Untermyer; it takes so much money to get into that business.

Q.—But there are plenty of people around to go into that business with plenty of money? A.—I don't see why they don't go into it.

Q.—Don't you think that Goodwin-Gallagher, O'Brien Brothers and Steers, Incorporated, are a pretty good reason? A.—I think not.

Minimum Rates Fixed.

The witness who told of the minimum rates for work fixed by the Contractors' Protective Association was Thomas F. McLaughlin, the Secretary. Records of the minutes read into the record disclosed that the association, which was not a member of the Building Trades Employers' Association, made an agreement with Robert P. Brindell's Building Trades Council by means of which the chauffeurs' union would not permit any of its members to work on a job where trucking was done by firms not members of the employers' organization. It was agreed that the chauffeurs employed by the latter firms would refuse to work even if they were working under better conditions.

George A. Gilfeather of Purcell & Gilfeather, cellar diggers and contractors, admitted that he was a member of the Executive Board of the Contractors' Protective Association when minimum prices were fixed. When Mr. Untermyer asked him who advised his organization that it had a right to fix minimum prices, Mr. Gilfeather said the lawyer was making him "rather uncomfortable." Referring to the members of the Executive Committee he said, "We are all in the same boat." He did not want to say whether they consulted a lawyer before taking action because "it would be putting somebody in a hole," and finally declared that counsel had not been consulted.

Gilfeather was questioned concerning snow contracts recently advertised for by the city, and he said that the streets of the city had not been properly cleaned of snow in eight years. Of the three bidders, he said, his bid for snow removal was the highest, with 81 cents a yard. The other bids were for 54 and 62 cents.

The committee will continue its inquiry at 10:30 this morning.

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BUDGET COMMITTEE BREWS ROW IN HOUSE

Chairmen Resent Sending Money Bills to Larger Appropriations Committee.

SEE WORK TAKEN FROM THEM

"Thirty-five Men Can Run the House and the Rest of Us Go Home," Butler Says.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The action of the House at the last session in deciding to refer all money bills to an enlarged Appropriations Committee showed signs today of developing into an open row. Rumblings were heard from several quarters and committee chairmen were represented by their associates as feeling that the move had been in the wrong direction.

Inasmuch as most of the legislation, which will finally pass at the present session, will be appropriation measures, committee members who for sessions have aided in formulating these bills are said to see no opportunity to assist in this work.

Chairman Butler of the Naval Affairs Committee declared that the House action meant that "thirty-five men (the membership of the enlarged committee) can now run the House for this session and the rest of us can go home."

"The change," said Representative Butler, "has simply made useless about 150 men, who have worked hard on these committees. They might as well be given a time-table and told to go home and come back to vote. Maybe the thirty-five men on the Appropriations Committee would take their proxy and they wouldn't have to come back at all."

The Naval Affairs Committee Chairman indicated that members of the House were preparing to voice their objection to the plan and the whole question might be brought up again at caucus.

The seven minority members for the enlarged committee were named today by the Democratic caucus. The members selected and the committee from which each comes follow: Representatives Small, North Carolina, Rivers and Harbors; Dent, Alabama, Military Affairs; Rubey, Missouri, Agriculture; Holland, Virginia, Post Office; Hastings, Oklahoma, Indian Affairs; Avres, Kansas, Naval Affairs, and Smith, New York, Foreign Affairs.

NEW ENGLAND CITIES VOTE.

Show Reversal for Prohibition—Many for Boxing and Sunday Sports

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—The vote on the liquor license question in twenty-one Massachusetts cities today showed a decided reversal from last year, when the majority voted in favor of license. With returns from Brockton, Taunton and New Bedford missing on the various referenda on the ballots, only three cities voted license. They were Fall River, Holyoke and Chicopee.

On the question of granting licenses for the sale of beverages containing not more than 2.75 per cent. of alcohol, under an act accepted by the voters of the State at the November election, nine cities voted in favor. They were Cambridge, Chicopee, Fall River, Fitchburg, Holyoke, Marlborough, Peabody, Salem and Springfield.

Three cities—Methuen, Springfield and Waltham—refused to indorse public boxing bouts under the new State Boxing Commission. Fifteen cities voted to permit amateur sports on Sunday afternoons. Methuen, Newburyport and Waltham voted against the proposition.

Mayor Charles S. Ashley, Citizens' Party, was re-elected in New Bedford for his twenty-second term. Other Mayors re-elected were James H. Kay, Fall River; John F. Cronin, Holyoke, and M. J. Fitzgerald, Northampton.

Bomb "Prophet" Paroled.

Edwin P. Fischer, who "predicted" the Wall Street explosion, was paroled on Monday night from the psychopathic ward at Bellevue in the custody of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pope of Forest Hills, L. I., his brother-in-law and sister, and has been placed by them in the Long Island Home, a private sanitarium. Fischer returned from Canada with detectives after the explosion and satisfied the authorities his prediction was an accidentally correct raving.

Robbed of $12,000 in Diamonds.

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 7.—William Seibel of 11½ East 118th Street, New York, a salesman for the Rebridenbach Company, 51 Maiden Lane, New York, reported to the Camden police today that his pockets had been picked of $12,000 worth of unset diamonds while crossing from Philadelphia to Camden on a ferryboat.

Bandits Rob Mt. Vernon Policeman.

Max Hoffman, keeper at Mount Vernon Police Headquarters, was held up early yesterday morning on the outskirts of Mount Vernon by four masked bandits in an automobile who took his overcoat, $40 in cash, his revolver and shield and a medal for service on the Mexican border.

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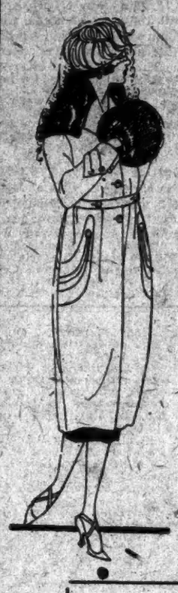

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BUY IT BY THE CASE
WAR DEPARTMENT CANNED MEATS

ASHES SUIT BY CITY LEFT TO STEINBRINK

Mayor Finally Agrees That Untermyer's Suggestion Be Referred to Counsel.

IS UPHELD ON LIMESTONE

No Contracts Altered After His Letter, Says Wilsey—Hylan Wants "Jersey Case" Investigation.

After long continued objection on the part of Mayor Hylan, the Board of Estimate yesterday referred to Meyer Steinbrink, associate counsel in its investigation of alleged collusive bidding on city contracts, the suggestion of Samuel Untermyer, counsel of the Lockwood committee, that the city bring suit against Grover A. Whalen, Commissione of Plant and Structures, and the members of the contracting firm of Holland & Co. for the $400,000 it will cost the city to remove from the Court House site the ashes which were dumped there to fill a previously existing excavation.

Mr. Steinbrink was directed to report back to the board within two weeks his opinion as to whether the city had any cause of action against Commissioner Whalen or Holland & Co.

Mayor Hylan did not object to the reference of the matter to Mr. Steinbrink, but opposed this procedure because he wished to have an immediate "open investigation so that the people might know the truth." The Mayor made this suggestion for an open investigation eleven times during the colloquy.

Assistant Corporation Counsel William B. Carswell and Mr. Steinbrink finally convinced the Mayor that a Board of Estimate investigation of Commissioner Whalen might look too much like the Mayor investigating himself, and that the proper place for a hearing would be in court if Mr. Untermyer's charges should prove to have any substance.

Say Limestone Was Used for Years.

The testimony taken at the hearing was almost entirely devoted to an attempt to prove that the Board of Education had decided to use limestone in school construction before the Hylan-Hettrick letter of Feb. 8, 1919. C. B. J. Snyder, Superintendent of School Buildings, testified that limestone had been used generally in school construction for the last twenty-five years. Frank D. Wilsey, a member of the Board of Education, testified that the Mayor's letter had caused no change of policy, because the Board of Education already had decided to specify limestone in school building contracts.

The hearing was opened by the reading of Mr. Untermyer's letter. Commissioner Whalen asked permission to reply to that part of the letter which affected him personally, and said:

"If there is one thing that a public official ought to be jealous of, it is his reputation, and I am particularly jealous of mine. I have labored hard and industriously in the city's interest and I do not intend to permit any notoriety seeker, like Mr. Untermyer, to attempt to besmirch my character. I therefore demand that you immediately instruct the Corporation Counsel and Mr. Steinbrink to cause immediate investigation and to report to you the result of that investigation. I have absolutely no fear."

"Why not have the investigation right here in public?" asked Mayor Hylan.

"That is my thought," replied Mr. Whalen. "I wish to say again that with respect to the dumping in the Court House site I had absolutely nothing to do with it. The facts speak for themselves and I think the facts ought to be spread upon the record under oath."

Mr. Carswell said he and Mr. Steinbrink had agreed that an investigation into the Court House site ashes matter should be made by independent counsel with power to prosecute an action if Mr. Untermyer's charge should be found to have any basis. He said the Mayor's suggestion to bring witnesses on the matter before the Board might be included.

"Let it be made so that it is included," said the Mayor. "This 'smoke screen' which has been thrown around certain things, it is nearly time it should be ended. I am in hopes that the Lockwood committee will soon get to the investigation of the trust companies and banks and some of those financial concerns that the counsel for the committee said some time ago he was going to investigate."

Mr. Steinbrink suggested that the proper place for a trial, if there should be found cause for action, would be before a court and jury, and not before the Board of Estimate.

Mayor Wants Truth for Public.

"Before that comes the public ought to know something of the truth of this thing," said the Mayor. "If these letters contain falsehoods, the public ought to know it, and there is no other way of finding it out than by a public investigation. Let the public know the truth first, and if the people have made statements in their letters that won't bear out, let the public know it. There is a case over in Jersey that might be investigated, too, that might not look very well to a certain gentleman."

"If there is a cause of action against any one, either Commissioner Whalen or Holland & Co.," said Mr. Steinbrink, "I don't think it is within the province of this board to afford to either Commissioner Whalen or Holland & Co., or whoever the defendant may be, the opportunity of preparing or interposing a defense here. I think the forum for them is in the court room, and that is what I am trying to make clear."

F. H. LaGuardia, President of the Board of Aldermen, said that if the investigation was intrusted to Mr. Steinbrink his report would be a public document and might answer the purpose which the Mayor had in mind.

Mr. Carswell then charged Mr. Untermyer with "bad faith" in saying in his letter that the Board of Estimate had failed to show collusive bidding on school contracts and had overlooked important evidence before the Lockwood committee which indicated it.

The board recessed until Friday with the understanding that the hearing would not be resumed until next Monday.

950,000 VOTED FOR DEBS.

Socialist Poll Approximately Double That of Four Years Ago.

According to an Associated Press dispatch sent out from New York yesterday, Eugene V. Debs, Socialist candidate for President in the last election, received nearly 950,000 votes—the greatest number polled by a Socialist Presidential nominee in the country's history and approximately twice the Socialist vote in 1916.

Available official and unofficial returns from all but seven States show that Debs polled 900,563, which, added to the Socialist vote four years ago in these seven States—48,366—would give him a total of 948,929. The missing States are Idaho, Louisiana, Montana, New Mexico, North and South Dakota and Texas.

Debs rolled up 204,120 votes in New York State alone, excepting the soldier vote, the unofficial returns show—more than four times the State's Socialist vote in 1916 and over three times Debs's poll in 1912.

Other States which gave Debs a sizeable vote this year included Wisconsin, with 80,035; Illinois, 74,747; Pennsylvania, 70,021; California, 64,978; Ohio, 57,147; Minnesota, 56,106; Massachusetts, 32,267; Michigan, 28,947; New Jersey, 27,141; Oklahoma, 25,638; Indiana, 24,103; Missouri, 20,243; Iowa, 14,981; Kansas, 15,907, and Connecticut, 10,235. Of these States, however, Illinois, Pennsylvania, California, Ohio, Oklahoma, Indiana, Missouri and Kansas gave a smaller Socialist vote than in 1912.

Says 20,000,000 Chinese May Starve

At least 20,000,000 people will die of starvation in North China this Winter unless help in unprecedented quantities reaches the stricken area, according to word received here yesterday by The Christian Herald from its Peking correspondent.

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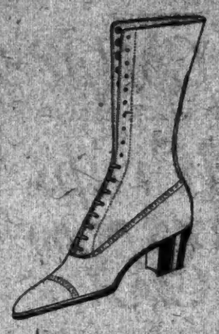

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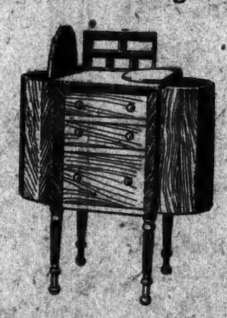

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Any one has a right to keep a store. Newspapers generally will print any advertisement offered.

If you know the people whose names guarantee certainties, all is well.

(Signed)

John Wanamaker

December 8, 1920.

For BABY

From Brussels

A small, choice collection of fine net dresses, veils and lace bibs has just arrived from Brussels—any one of which would be a gift of exquisite taste.

DRESSES—made with a yoke, embroidered with dots and a simple pattern, $6.50.

SLIPS of pink or blue satin made just for these dresses—sizes 2 to 6, $4.50.

BIBS—beautiful pieces of Binche, Point de Venice or Duchesse lace sewed on to the finest linene, $5.

VEILS—cobwebby, dotted net trimmed with rose point, $5.

From Paris

Two dainty models in frocks for Miss 2 to 6.

One is of finest voile trimmed with hemstitching, faggoting and a bit of smocking.

The other is a crisp dotted Swiss, with organdie used for fluted collar and hemstitched cuffs and belt. A few wee tucks are used at hem and shoulders.

Each is $8.50.

Third Floor, Old Building.

A MAN'S Sale—for WOMEN

Men's French Dressing Gowns

$60,000 for $30,000

Each Gown at Half its Price

Prices were $20 to $200
Prices are $10 to $100

Like other American importers, we went to Paris last February and had made up for us the finest dressing gowns we could buy, anticipating the usual Christmas trade for these fine garments for men. At that time there was no thought of prices coming down. When the dressing gowns now arrive, we are in the midst of the readjustment of prices. The market is in an upset condition. People have joined in the movement which we ourselves largely inaugurated to bring prices down to a saner and lower level. The only thing to do is to include these dressing gowns in the general movement, and to offer the entire stock at half the prices they were entitled to be sold for, considering their cost.

Rich figured silk gowns, lined with plain silk; woolen and wool-mixed gowns; cotton terry cloth gowns.

The opportunity to give to a man a gift of luxury at the price of a necessity suddenly comes in this unlooked-for offer.

Kindly choose carefully, for gifts, of course, are not returnable.

Burlington Arcade Floor, New Building—Broadway front.

Lamps and Candlesticks

The bright and decorative Christmas gift

Mahogany candlesticks	$3.50 to $5 a pair
Reading lamps with adjustable shades	$12 to $25
Bridge or reading lamps with silk shades	$35 to $80
Floor lamps of mahogany	$15 to $140
Floor lamps of polychrome carved wood	$30 to $150
Table lamps of metal, decorative glass shades	$18.50 to $100
Boudoir lamps of mahogany	$3.75 and $4.75
Boudoir lamps of bronze and ivory	$6.50
Boudoir lamps of metal, with decorative glass shade	$18 to $25
Silk shades for floor lamps	$15 to $175

Second Gallery, New Bldg.

Suggested gifts of Women's

SILK UNDERWEAR

Glove silk envelope chemises, $6.50 to $11.50.
Tax additional—15c to 65c; fancy machine lace trimmed bodice tops and some trimmed with embroidery; dainty ribbons; sizes 36 to 42; pink and white.

Glove silk drawers, $10 to $11 pair.
Tax additional—50c to 60c; machine lace or ribbon trimmed; pink and white; sizes 5 to 7.

Glove Silk Bloomers, $9.
Tax additional—40c; fancy machine lace trimmed ruffle at knee; some with embroidery; pink only; sizes 5 to 7.

Glove silk vests to match, $7.50 to $9.
Tax additional—25c to 40c; sizes 36 to 42.

Main Floor, Old Building

Another fine purchase

Women's Fur Coats

Acquired for half the amount we paid for similar coats a few months ago and priced on the same low basis

Hudson seal coat, 36 in. long, $295.
Full flare models with belts, self trimmed or with large cape collars and bell cuffs of skunk or squirrel.

Hudson seal coats, 40 inches long, $375.
Full flare models with belts self trimmed or with large cape collars and bell cuffs of skunk or beaver

Hudson seal coats, 45 inches long, $495.
Full flare models with belts self trimmed or with large cape collars and bell cuffs of skunk.

Hudson seal dolmans, 45 to 47 in., sleeves, $450.

Hudson seal dolmans, with sleeves, $595.
Large deep cape collars of skunk, squirrel or beaver.

Mink dolman, full length model, $1850.
Good quality of dark rich skins, with sleeves, deep cape collar.

Sable dyed squirrel dolmans, $475.
With sleeves, deep cape collar and blouse back, self trimmed.

NOTE—"Hudson Seal" is dyed muskrat.

Second floor, Old Building.

The Christmas Gift

SLIPPERS

are here

Slippers for father, slippers for mother,
Slippers for sister and slippers for brother.

Men's leather slippers, $5.50 to $12.
Men's felt slippers, $2.50 to $3.25.
Women's brocaded and embroidered mules, $14 to $18.
Women's satin slippers for house or evening wear, $4.75 to $14.
Women's kidskin house slippers, $3.50 to $4.
Women's felt slippers, $2 to $3.75.
Boys' and girls' felt and leather slippers from $1.90 to $2.75.

Assortments are at their best, and slippers of the good kinds are going to be hard to get later in the month. The makers are behind in delivery and we are advised that there will be no chance of replenishing the stocks when these are gone.

Men's Burlington Arcade Floor, New Bldg.
And others, First Floor, Old Building

Men's imported wool Socks, going at $3.50

884 pairs that were $5 and $6 pair.

Golf socks, tennis socks, skating socks, tramping socks, bed socks—all wool, medium and heavy weight fashioned—black, gray, brown, green grounds, striped and plain effects—sizes 10 to 12.

Burlington, Arcade Floor, New Building

Men's Redleaf, London Underwear—near Half

240 long sleeve shirts and ankle-length drawers (to match), $5 each—shirt or drawers.

The famous "Two Steeples" brand, made in Great Britain, pure wool, natural color, in a very comfortable light-medium weight.

Shirts, sizes 34 to 44; drawers, 32 to 44.

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POTTERY

Charming plastic gift pottery from Italy

Quite unique in this country is this dainty hand-woven pottery of a mellow creamy white, festooned with hand wrought rosebuds.

It is woven in open basket fashion into many delightful shapes; large and small graceful curving baskets or round baskets; compotes of many shapes and sizes or a small fernery for the center of the table, $1 to $37.50.

The China Store.
Second Gallery, New Bldg.

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54 in. all wool coatings. Weight suitable for all year round wear in seasonable colorings; brown, blue and oxford, mixed with white; were $9.75, now $6 yd.

54 in. all wool illuminated mixtures. Coatings that will stand hard service for motoring and street wear; were $5 grade—now $3 yard.

54 in. all wool suitings. Suitable for tailor suits, skirts; pleasing color tones; smart mixtures; were $4 to $6—now $2.50 yard.

Main Floor, Old Building.

Men's Overcoats

Bought to sell for $65 to $90

Now marked $37.50, $47.50, $57.50

There really isn't much need to go into detail about the change in prices. Every man knows that it has happened.

But the point to consider is the CHARACTER of the clothing. Value depends upon that.

Here, for instance, are overcoats of our standard grades. Made originally to our specifications; made from fabrics that we selected; finished in our usual careful and painstaking way.

Some are ulsters. Some are box coats. Some are Chesterfields, fully lined with silk.

None can question the quality and desirability of overcoats like these; and the price-change speaks for itself.

This Price-change

—also applies to our finest Redleaf (London) overcoats. The lower prices are $54 to $89.

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THINKS BAKER BROKE WORD ON RECRUITING

House Military Committee Asks Him to Appear to Explain Size of Army.

SEES $160,000,000 DEFICIT

Kahn Asserts Understanding Was That Force Was Not to Exceed 180,000—Figure Now 221,825.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Secretary Baker was asked today by the House Military Committee to appear before it Friday to explain why the War Department has recruited an army of more than 180,000 men. Chairman Kahn said some committee members felt that the War Department had broken faith with the committee, explaining that the army appropriation for the year was based on a maximum of 180,000 men, with the understanding that such a force would be sufficient.

Reports to the committee, Mr. Kahn continued, indicate that the army now approximates 210,000 men, and that efforts were being made to reach the 280,000 maximum allowed under the Army Reorganization act. If this were done, he added, a deficit of at least $160,000,000 would be incurred.

The Regular Army and National Guard are keeping pace with each other in the development of strength under the Government's plans for military reorganization, and in officers and enlisted men these two arms of the military service now have an aggregate of 297,671 officers and men, according to figures made public today by Major Gen. Peter C. Harris, the Adjutant General of the army.

The Regular Army now consists of 13,461 officers and 208,364 enlisted men, while the latest figures for the National Guard show that it contains 4,159 officers and 71,687 enlisted men. In the guard and regulars combined there are now 17,620 officers and 280,051 enlisted men. During the past month 8,858 officers and men have been added to the Regular Army, while 4,135 have been added to the National Guard.

New York State leads the States in the strength of its National Guard. The authorized strength of the National Guard of New York is 20,857. Figures given out today show that the New York guard now has a strength of 10,244, of which 508 are officers and 9,736 are enlisted men. This is about one-seventh of the entire National Guard strength of the whole country. On April 1 last the strength of the New York guard was 5,617, while on July 1 it stood at 7,635.

The distribution of the strength of the Regular Army on Nov. 30 follows:

	Commissioned.	Enlisted.	Total.
United States	11,442	158,678	170,120
Philippines	578	18,248	18,826
Germany	317	14,982	15,304
Hawaii	293	6,838	7,131
Panama	263	5,713	5,976
Porto Rico	59	1,816	1,875
China	60	1,338	1,398
Alaska	29	820	849
France	93	5	98
England	5	2	7
At large	67		67
At Sea en route Manila	66	48	114
At Sea en route U. S.		3	3
Total	13,461	208,364	221,825

The data obtained today shows that there has been a slight increase in the number of American troops in Germany during the last month. But there have been slight decreases in the number in Panama, Hawaii and the Philippines.

ASK REMOVAL OF ELEVATED.

Estimate Board to Consider 42d Street Men's Plea on Friday.

At a meeting of the Forty-second Street Property Owners and Merchants' Association yesterday it was announced that a petition signed by more than a thousand business men in the Forty-second Street area, asking for the removal of the elevated spur between Third and Park Avenues on Forty-second Street will be considered by the Board of Estimate at their meeting on Friday.

The association decided to send a committee to Washington to urge before Congress the need of a vehicular mail tunnel between the Grand Central Terminal and the Pennsylvania Station.

REVIVE CONTROVERSY OVER JUTLAND BATTLE

German Navy Men and Officials Start In Again to Discuss the Outcome.

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BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The Chicago Tribune's publication of Admiral Scheer's letter to the Kaiser about the Battle of Jutland has resulted in reopening the controversy over the battle.

It is the general opinion that the Admiralty should have given the letter to the public long ago, inasmuch as the report backs up the German view that they came out the better in the battle.

"The battle shows that Great Britain no longer has a Drake or a Nelson," comments Captain Otto Groos, Chief Historian of the Admiralty, in the Deutsche Tageblatt. He discussed Jellicoe's failure to attack on the evening of May 31, 1917, when he had partly surrounded Scheer and when Scheer by a torpedo boat attack saved the German fleet.

"Nelson said the most daring measures were the safe measures," continued Goos, "and that principle was based on an unconditional feeling of victory, which feeling was lacking to the British Admiralty from the beginning of the war. By not feeling certain of victory they avoided a decisive fight."

Dr. Struve, a member of the Naval Committee in the Reichstag during the war, tells of an interview with Admiral von Capelle, Naval Secretary, after Jutland. Von Capelle declared that two or three more Jutlands and British naval prestige would be gone. Struve states that von Capelle, despite Scheer's recommendations for unlimited submarine warfare, issued orders curtailing submarine building and ordered concentration on dreadnought building.

MME. BELA KUN IN ITALY.

Living in Bologna at the Expense of the Local Socialist Party.

BOLOGNA, Dec. 7.—The wife of Bela Kun, the former Communist leader in Hungary, is living here at the expense of the local Socialist Party. She has been frequently visited by four Hungarian Socialists, who have been arrested by the police. In their possession were found papers, tending to show that they were implicated in the disorders which resulted in the death of Deputy Giordana some time ago.

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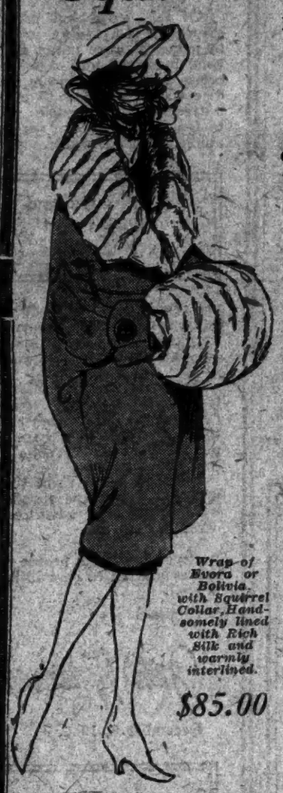

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Worth $150.00

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FORTY-FIVE million Chinese are starving and freezing. Advices from Peking say 20,000,000 people *will die* this Winter unless help in unprecedented quantities reaches the stricken districts immediately. Practically the entire rural populations of five provinces are literally without food.

Refugee camps are springing up about all the important centres of North China. Children are being sold into slavery or thrown into the rivers and canals. Whole families are committing suicide. In some of the valleys where the frost has not killed what little vegetation there is remaining, the people are subsisting on a diet of leaves, tree bark, and weeds. In the other sections where Winter has gripped the land, not even this diet is possible and the natives are dying by the thousands. They sold their padded garments early in the Fall to buy food and they are facing bitter cold without clothes and without shelter.

North China's famine is the result of two years of flood followed by a year of complete drought. The best crop in any of the affected districts is less than 30 per cent. of normal. Most of China, seriously congested in population, lives from hand to mouth. There is no chance to acquire a food surplus to carry the people over a lean year. One crop failure means starvation and death.

Famine fever, cholera and typhus have made their appearance in thousands of communities and are taking a heavy toll of lives. So famine means more than starvation.

It means an accumulation of horrors that can only be allayed by prompt, vigorous measures of relief in which medical aid, housing and clothing supplement food. It is only by the most effective and widespread relief activities now that great populations can be saved from starvation. Time means lives numbered in millions. The people of North China are starving. Your money will go to them without delay. These funds are being transmitted by the State Department through the American Legation in Peking, and are being administered in co-operation with an international committee representing all the foreign interests.

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May I not say that the attempt you are making to raise funds for the relief of the distress in China has my most hearty approval and applause? I hope with all my heart that it may be successful in every way. Sincerely yours,

(Signed) WOODROW WILSON.

Mr. Graham Patterson,
Christian Herald, New York City

The American Red Cross Says:

The American Red Cross has appropriated $500,000 for the relief of the famine sufferers in China, but reports from the five provinces of Chili, Shantung, Shansi, Shensi and Honan indicate that much greater sums are needed to meet the needs of the situation. The American Red Cross is, therefore, deeply interested in the success of the Christian Herald China Famine Fund, and endorses most heartily the plan of the Christian Herald to bring the story of the acute suffering of these millions before its readers, with a view to obtaining additional funds for their relief.

It is impossible to over-emphasize the suffering that has come to the five provinces directly affected by famine conditions. Reports show many millions as being in dire need and facing almost certain death from starvation and freezing unless food and shelter are provided through the Winter and at least until the early Summer crops mature.

With every hope that your campaign may be successful, I am, Sincerely yours,

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Chairman, Central Committee.

The Chinese Government Says (By Cable):

As Minister for Foreign Affairs, I take this opportunity to thank the Christian Herald on behalf of the Government and people of China for coming to the relief and assistance of a friendly nation in the present emergency as it has done before in 1907 and 1911.

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SAY AUTO OWNERS HIRED 'ROBBERS'

Wanted Worn-Out Cars Stolen So They Could Collect Insurance, Prisoners Assert.

FIVE MEN UNDER ARREST

Police on Trail of Band Locate Many Missing Machines—Garage Owners Held.

Following the trail of an organized band of "robber-dealers" in stolen automobiles, Acting Captain Fitzpatrick's newly formed Automobile Squad last night had five men under arrest, had located a score of missing machines, and indicated that more vanished cars would come to light today.

According to the stories of two of the men, as told by the detectives, the field of operation was in Brooklyn, and there were at least a dozen owners of dilapidated and worn-out machines who hired the men to steal them so the owners could collect insurance. According to these men, the owners even agreed to testify for the hired robbers if the police arrested them while driving the cars.

The men held were Edward J. Horstman of 6,319 Ninth Avenue, Brooklyn, owner of a garage at 936 Sixtieth Street, Brooklyn; Joseph S. Fulda of 1,913 Fifty-fifth Street, Brooklyn, Horstman's mechanician; William Bennett of 107 St. John's Place, owner of a garage at 631 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn; Harry Randolph, mechanic, of 642 Howard Avenue, Brooklyn, and Harry Raphael, salesman, of 314 Alabama Avenue, Brooklyn. They were arrested by Detective Sergeants Toner and Scherer. Randolph and Raphael are to be arraigned today; the others were held in $5,000 bail each.

The police said that Horstman and Bennett admitted knowingly dealing in stolen automobiles. Fulda, the police charged, made the necessary mechanical changes to conceal the cars' identity. The detectives said they found seven stolen cars in Horstman's garage and eight in Bennett's. Bennett, said the police, declared that so many persons were demanding automobiles that it was impossible for dealers to meet the demand on a legitimate basis, and that he had decided to buy all cars offered for sale without asking questions.

The detectives said that Bennett gave the information that led to the arrest of Randolph and Raphael, who, the police asserted, admitted the theft of twelve automobiles in Brooklyn with the consent of the owners. In explaining the system of the "thefts" the detectives said Randolph and Raphael agreed to steal the cars, disguise them, remove all numbers and identification marks and sell them. This, the two prisoners said in the detectives' version, would enable owners to report that their cars had been stolen and permit the collection of insurance.

Captain Fitzpatrick said both men stated that they had sold the cars to garage owners, after the telltale marks had been obliterated, and that they also got a fee from the person whose car they "stole." It was said by the detectives that the names and addresses of these owners had been turned over to the police by Randolph and Raphael. The detectives refused to disclose the list.

MINER RUNS AMUCK IN MINGO COLLIERY

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that were affected by the strike order out of commission."

Mr. Bausewine said there had been no trouble to speak of when the new men were landed at the mines, due to the protection afforded by the troops. The operators are somewhat apprehensive with regard to developments when the loading of railroad cars from the newly opened mines are begun later in the week. They have discussed the situation with Colonel Hall and expect as a result of their conferences with him that adequate military protection will be afforded.

The strike leaders, who have nothing but praise for the conduct of Colonel Hall and his men, appeared before him today to register their first complaint against any of the soldiers. This was in connection with the landing of some new men at Goodman last night. C. E. Dutton, a striking miner, according to the story told Colonel Hall, approached the newcomers to inform them that a strike had been declared against the Wigarb mine and to try to dissuade them from going to work. Dutton, who appeared with Organizers David Fowler and David Robb of the United Mine Workers at Colonel Hall's headquarters, said that as he did so one soldier in a small detachment that had been rushed to the scene late yesterday had driven him away at the butt of his gun and warned him against seeking to approach any of the new men.

Colonel Permits Picketing.

Colonel Hall told the strikers that, as set forth in a general order issued shortly after the Federal troops took hold, there was no objection to nor would any attempt be made to prevent peaceful picketing, but that attempts at intimidation would be sternly met. He instructed the union leaders to have badges printed, which are to be worn by union pickets at the mines. These badges, Colonel Hall told the officials, must carry the name of the pickets and they must have credentials to show that they are bona fide union men, not merely strike sympathizers.

Organizer Fowler has issued an order against intimidation of men coming to take the places of strikers as stringent as those issued by Colonel Hall, and the Colonel told Mr. Fowler that he would expect honest co-operation from the union officials in enforcing it.

Conditions in the tent colonies received official cognizance today when Judge R. D. Bailey of the Circuit Court, who came here to preside at a special term which may try some murder cases growing out of the coal strike, summoned David Fowler, Organizer of the United Mine Workers, and questioned him closely regarding sanitation and the general health and living conditions of the tent colony. It was a perfectly friendly conference, but Judge Bailey later expressed the utmost concern with regard to the situation.

"Fowler undoubtedly is trying his best to protect the unfortunate people who are living in those colonies," the Judge said. "If I were in his place I should hate to assume responsibility for maintaining them throughout the Winter."

Judge Urges Need of Courage.

In his charge to the Extraordinary Grand Jury which met here today and will sit again tomorrow Judge Bailey spoke briefly and with vigor regarding conditions in Mingo County and the need for drastic action.

"It is a time," said the Judge, "when the utmost courage is required on the part of all connected in any capacity with the law enforcement agencies of the county."

It is expected that the Grand Jury will investigate the killing of John B. Marcum at Breedon on Sunday night. The identity of the man who shot him in the back, presumably from ambush, is still shrouded in mystery. Despite conflicting reports, most people here believe that his death was the climax of a mountain feud. M. C. Burchett, a man who was shot by Marcum on Nov. 2, oddly enough was a member of the Grand Jury panel, but did not show up when the jury was drawn. Deputy Sheriffs Kirkpatrick and Adkins, who were sent to investigate the killing by Sheriff Blankenship, returned this afternoon with a report that he had been killed by the State police.

Inquiries by long-distance phone at the headquarters of Jackson Arnold, Chief of the State constabulary at Charleston, brought the reply that no report had been received there to indicate that Marcum had been killed by State troops.

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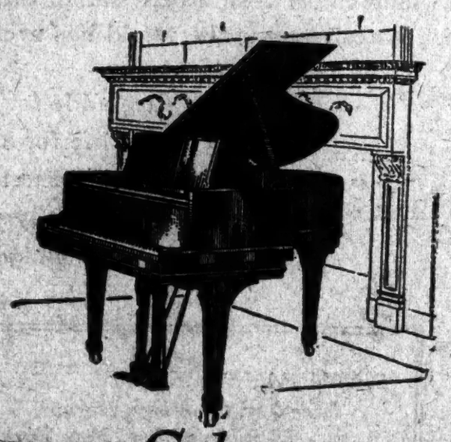
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DECISION AWAITED IN MARTENS CASE

Inquiry Into Deportation Ends With Arguments to Secretary Wilson.

RAISED DEPARTMENT ROW

Government Asks That Russian Be Sent Back—Defense Quotes From the President's Message.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Hearings on the deportation warrant against Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian Soviet representative in the United States, finally were concluded today with the presentation of oral and written arguments before Secretary Wilson. The Labor Department head took the case under advisement and is expected to announce his decision within a few days.

The warrant against Martens was issued last January after the Department of Justice had conducted the so-called "radical raids," but at that time Martens was under examination before a Senate Committee investigating Bolshevist propaganda in the United States and it was not served until later. Hearings on the warrant were held both in Washington and New York with many postponements.

During the proceedings, the controversy between the Department of Justice and the Department of Labor concerning the proceedings against radicals generally came to a head with the refusal of the Department of Labor to permit representatives of the Department of Justice to question Martens. The Government's argument today was presented by J. E. Hood of the Department of Justice, who, in his argument, contended that Martens was unlawfully in the United States and that he had participated in the movement of the Russian Communist Party, the Third Internationale and the so-called Russian Socialist Federated Republic for the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force and violence.

Counsel for Martens argued on the other hand that Martens as the "diplomatic representative" of a foreign Government was lawfully in the United States; that he had not participated in any movements against the American Government, and that the Government had failed to show that he believed in the overthrow of all Governments by force or that he had been affiliated with any organizations which advocated such overthrow.

The brief of Martens's lawyers quotes from a cablegram sent by President Wilson to the all-Russian congress of Soviets at Moscow in March 1918, as follows:

"May I not take advantage of the meeting of the Congress of Soviets to express the sincere sympathy which the people of the United States feel for the Russian people."

It is argued that in sending such a message, President Wilson recognized the Soviet Republic of Russia, because "the supreme power of the Russian Socialist Federal Soviet Republic belongs to the all-Russian Congress of Soviets."

DIES AT RENT MEETING.

Widow, Worried by Increase, Succumbs at Heights Gathering.

Mrs. Clara Bleicher, 55 years old, of 508 West 158th Street, a widow, died suddenly last night at a rent meeting held under the auspices of the Audubon Community Council at 922 St. Nicholas Avenue. Since the rent of the five rooms on the top floor of the house occupied by herself and her daughter Clara was raised from $35 to $51 on Oct. 1 Mrs. Bleicher had attended many of the numerous rent meetings in the neighborhood and was much worried by her lack of success in finding another suitable apartment.

Unable to pay the higher rent demanded, Mrs. Bleicher on the first of each month mailed a check for the $35 to the agents of the building, the estate of I. M. Berintin of 216 West 100th Street. The check was returned to her each month by the agents, and Mrs. Bleicher told neighbors she feared the courts would dispossess her after two months' rent had not been paid.

Last night she went to the meeting alone, and while one of the speakers was talking on measures to be taken if the rent laws should be declared unconstitutional Mrs. Bleicher fainted. She was assisted to the rear of the hall, where she died before the arrival of an ambulance surgeon from St. Laurence Hospital.

WOMAN'S NEEDS FIXED.

Bindery Leader Says $1,571 Yearly Is Required for Necessities.

The bare necessities of life for women in industry cost $1,571.81 a year, according to data presented by Miss M. J. Murphy, President of the Bindery Women's Union 24, in a wage arbitration hearing dispute with Dr. William M. Leiserson at 112 East Nineteenth Street yesterday afternoon. The union is asking an increase of $12 a week on the present basic scale of $27.50 a week.

Miss Murphy said that, using United States Government estimates, prices were obtained covering a district where members of the union actually live. The district chosen was bounded by Madison and Second Avenues and 106th and 125th Streets. The figures were conservative, Miss Murphy said, pointing out that the Government budget used allows a woman the equivalent of but one-half of a Winter hat, one-third of an overcoat and two nightgowns a year. The budget, it was said, represented a minimum below which a woman could not go "without danger of physical and moral deterioration." The itemized year's expenditures, according to the union's figures, are:

Food	$324.22
Clothing	196.33
Housing	174.34
Light and heat	27.44
Household equipment	27.53
Miscellaneous	317.55
Support of dependents	404.00
Total	$1,571.81

Miss Murphy said that the "support of dependents" item was based on answers to a questionnaire sent to members of the Bindery Women's Union. The returns showed that 68 per cent of the women contributed to the support of dependents, while only ½ per cent. received support from other sources. According to the union, the annual earnings of the workers is $455.56 below the estimate.

Full Presidential Vote in Texas.

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 7.—The Presidential vote cast in Texas Nov. 2, according to official announcement today by the Secretary of State, was: Cox 289,088; Harding 115,640; Debs 8,194. The American Party polled 47,969 votes and the Black and Tan Republican 27,515.

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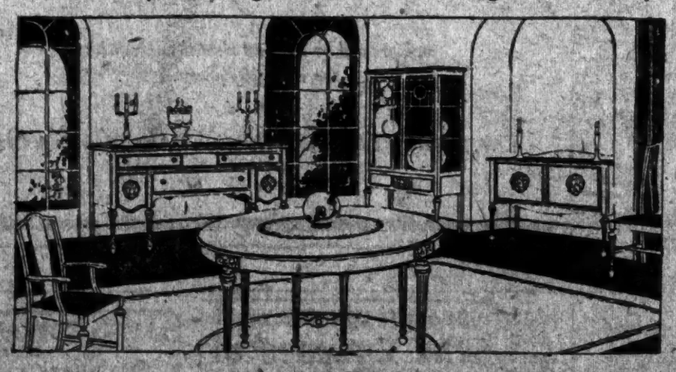

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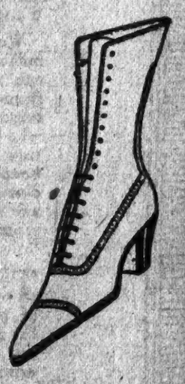

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CITES STRANGE COMPACT

"Gentlemen's Agreement," Signed Before Ceremony, Declared the Marriage Was Not to Be Binding.

Surrogate Foley was asked yesterday to decide whether a marriage is binding if an agreement had been entered into between the parties beforehand by which they could nullify the marriage at will. The novel question arises in the estate of Hydesaburo Ohashi, Japanese manufacturer, who died Sept. 20, 1918. His widow, Marie Vought Ohashi, of 522 West 136th Street, was appointed administratrix. She had been married to the decedent at Englewood, N. J., by a Justice of the Peace in 1917, after her husband had been divorced from his first wife, now Mrs. Mabel Doris Isaacsen of Meadow Park, L. I. Mrs. Isaacsen, in behalf of her son, Allen Kyso Ohashi, is applying to have the letters of administration vacated on the ground that Marie Vought Ohashi is not the legal widow and not an heir at law.

Mrs. Isaacsen stated that a few days prior to the decedent's second marriage he and his bride-to-be executed what they termed a "sacred gentlemen's agreement," to the effect that the marriage was not to be binding and that they could nullify it at any time. For this reason Mrs. Isaacsen contends the second marriage was a "sham and pretense."

In reply the widow admits that the paper was prepared by her husband just before their marriage, but she says that the unhappy outcome of his first marriage was responsible for it. She says her husband told her that Japanese were not liked by Americans and could not get a fair trial in American courts if sued by Americans. She asserts she signed the paper because she was in love with the decedent and was convinced of his deep love for her.

Mrs. Ohashi says her husband introduced her as his wife to the Japanese Consul General and Viscount Ishii of Japan.

The agreement says:

"At this date we agree to perform a conventional form of legal marriage between ourselves merely for the sake of convenience, with the understanding that this legal marriage shall not be binding in any least degree, and/between us we consider this legal marriage to be absolutely void. Each party shall have the right to conduct his or her affairs or matters entirely free from the other, as if no such legal marriage had ever taken place. We consider ourselves to be loving comrades instead of 'man and wife,' and at any time when either party's love for the other is gone she or he has the perfect right to sever the relation, and the other party will consent to the same with good-will. We are making this gentlemen's agreement with the full knowledge that such an agreement before the prevailing laws is void, but nevertheless it is sacred and binding to us, and under no circumstances will either party take unfair advantage of this even if in the future we were unfortunately to become antagonistic to each other."

The hearing before the Surrogate will be continued.

WOMAN DROPS POLICE SUIT.

Withdraws Oppression Charge After Surveillance of Her Rooms Ends.

A charge of oppression made against Police Inspector William F. Boettler, commanding the Third Inspection District, was dropped yesterday when it was found that he had removed from an apartment at 237 West 107th Street policemen whom he had set to watch the rooms. The complainant, Mrs. Otto Gubner, was arrested early Saturday morning with seventeen others on a charge of gambling, but all were discharged by Magistrate Levine.

Inspector Boettler, it was stated, continued police surveillance of Mrs. Gubner's rooms after her discharge, and yesterday she obtained a summons against him, charging oppression. When the case was about to come up in the West Side Court yesterday afternoon it was learned that Inspector Boettler had removed his watchers, and the charge was dropped.

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Up and up; five thousand feet, seventy-five hundred, ten thousand—higher, higher yet, until the huge wings are but black specks in the blue.

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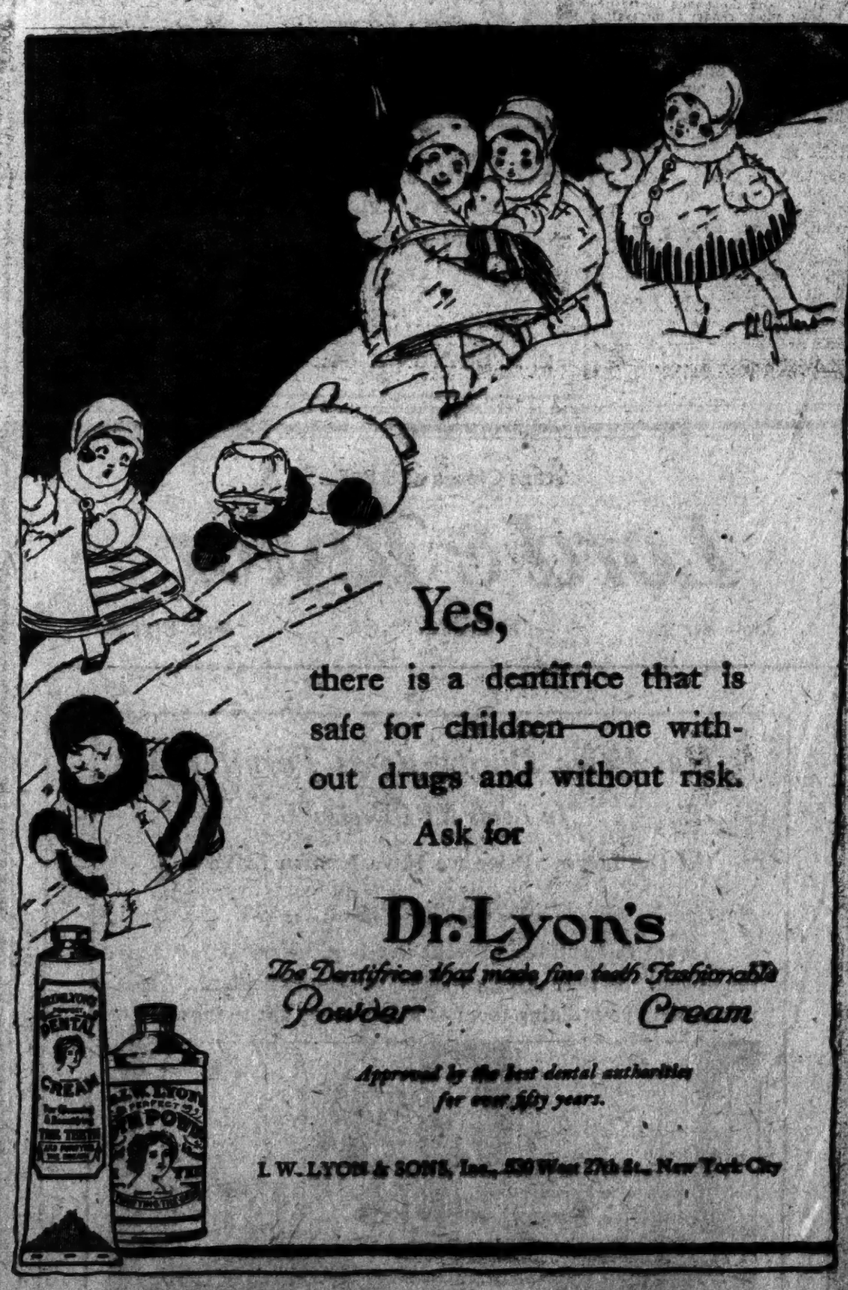

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Sixty Combinations in Building Trades Unearthed by Lockwood Committee, He Asserts.

NO TIME FOR CITY INQUIRY

To Go Into Detail Would Require a Year and Thirty Assistant Prosecutors.

Upon the opening of the Lockwood Committee's session yesterday at City Hall, Samuel Untermyer, its counsel, outlined the committee's plans and policies, and said that so far as he was concerned the committee would not take up the investigation of the city departments. He said he did not mean to imply that they were not "sadly in need of investigation," but it was necessary that the committee maintain its freedom from imputation of partisanship. He criticised the Federal authorities and particularly the Department of Justice for its lack of co-operation.

Lack of time will prevent anything more than just a sketchy proof of the existence of about sixty combinations in the building trades, said Mr. Untermyer. To go into detail would take almost a year, he added, and if the work were thoroughly done it would require the exclusive time of half a dozen Grand Juries and thirty Assistant District Attorneys. Many combinations were hastily disbanding, while some were being camouflaged, Mr. Untermyer said.

"With the convening of the new Legislature we shall be prepared to submit a resolution for the continuance of the inquiry, in which the defects in the present resolution will be remedied, and the scope of the inquiry, whilst the power of the committee will be materially broadened.

"You will recall my protest against the emasculation by the Legislature of the resolution which I prepared, and my hesitation about acting for the committee for that reason. All the difficulties that were then presaged have since been realized. The deliberate striking out of the immunity provision was a glaringly gratuitious embarrassment, as I predicted at the time.

No Time for City Inquiry.

"It cannot, however, be too strongly emphasized that so far as I am concerned, and I believe that as far as the committee is concerned or can prevent any such action, this committee will not accept the duty or power to investigate the city administration or the city departments, either before or after the conclusion of its present labors.

"I do not mean to imply that they are not sadly in need of investigation. Sufficient has already been developed, and still more is known to us, to satisfy me that such an inquiry is necessary in the best interests of the city, providing it can be done with the thoroughness and in a spirit of entire fairness and non-partisanship. Whether or not that will be possible will depend, of course, upon the fearlessness and freedom from political ambitions and entanglements of those concerned.

"Our committee has other and far more important work to do than anything it has yet accomplished, and far more important than the work of investigating the city departments, important though that may be. I do not question that there has been an orgy of inefficiency, and extravagance, if not worse, with few notable exceptions. Our committee has, however, still barely scratched the surface. The intensity of its labors, and the public confidence that it must enjoy, render it imperative that there shall be no suspicion of partisan or political motives, or leanings surrounding its activity.

"All that we are doing is merely to erect a foundation on which to build our comprehensive structure of proposed constructive legislation. It will be drastic and far-reaching, I think, some may say almost revolutionary, in the hope of reversing a narrow economic policy that has prevailed in the Federal and State Government.

Support of the Public Needed.

In order to succeed, this legislation must have the support of the Legislature and the public regardless of party lines. If your committee were to become involved in a city investigation that would not be possible, and I regard it as more important that the integrity of our purpose should be maintained, and its freedom from partisanship, than a dozen city investigations, however useful they may be. We are hopeful that by transferring the plans of the unfinished branch of the present inquiry, as above indicated, we shall be able at, or possibly shortly before the beginning of the new year, to take up the insurance and banking end of the inquiry. That will largely be statistical.

"I am sorry to say that we are continuing to meet with anything but co-operation from the Department of Justice and the Federal authorities. Under cover of proclamations and protestations of co-operation, we get nothing.

"Let me illustrate this. About seven weeks ago as I have since naively realized, I, relying upon the letters I received from the Department of Justice, which are very pleasant and encouraging in their tone, asked that they let us have access to the files and evidence that they have collected in connection with the civil suit they brought in New Jersey against the cement manufacturers. In answer to that request, which I made, because of the offer of co-operation from the department, I received the reply that they were very sorry that they could not let us have this evidence, because they needed it in their civil suit, which has been asleep for about a year or more.

"One would imagine from that reply that evidence is an edible and perishable commodity that disappears as soon as you look at it. At any rate, we have not been able to secure it.

Hopes Raised by Calder.

"Great hopes were raised in us some time ago, by the appearance of Senator Calder here, before your committee. We thought that with his aid we might be able to get jurisdiction before his committee, sitting with us, over witnesses who find Philadelphia, Newark and other places much more congenial at this time of the year; but we have thus far been disappointed in that hope. That is due to the many other commitments of Senator Calder in connection with his own committee. At any rate, the co-operation on which we had relied there has not been forthcoming.

"I think that is a fair statement of the plans and purposes of the committee, so that it may be known that we cannot undertake before this committee to exploit all the combinations existing in the building trades in the City of New York. I should say that there were sixty or more such combinations, according to our advices.

"We have gathered a great deal of data, but to present that data under the rules of legal evidence, which we are endeavoring to adhere to as far as possible, would take almost the whole of next year, and so we shall go into such of them as we can, and turn over the evidence we have collected for such action as the committee may see fit to take."

LANDLORDS APPLY FOR RENT DEPOSITS

Magistrate Says Thousands Are Withdrawn Almost as Fast as Received by Courts.

CLERKS ARE OVERWHELMED

Work Late at Night Handling Funds Estimated to Aggregate More Than $1,000,000.

Landlords are withdrawing hundreds of thousands of dollars, representing monthly rent under the old rates, deposited with the municipal courts by tenants, pending the settlement of disputes over increased rents.

This fact was confirmed last night by Magistrate William Blau of the Fourth District Municipal Court, who asserted that in some districts, such as the Seventh and Eighth, Manhattan, and the Second of the Bronx, which are among the largest deposits, as high as $25,000 and $30,000 are made each day by tenants, whose landlords withdraw the money almost as fast as it is deposited.

It was explained by Magistrate Blau that these deposits could be withdrawn by the landlords only when the tenants agreed to such withdrawal. In most cases he said the tenants were glad to have the landlord accept these deposits on account, because the amounts were fixed under the old rent. After the landlord has made a withdrawal, however, he can still press his claim in court for the increased rents, according to Magistrate Blau, but the tenants in agreeing to these withdrawals trust to the Court to fix a fair and reasonable rate.

The deposits have overwhelmed the clerks and assistant clerks of some of the larger districts, according to Chief Clerk John E. Dunn and Assistant Clerk Thomas A. McCarrick of the Seventh District Municipal Court, who were still at work on their books at a late hour last night.

"We work here almost every night until midnight," explained Mr. Dunn. "Sometimes we are kept here until 3 o'clock in the morning. And it's all due to these rent cases. The Second District of the Bronx is running us a close second, for they cover almost as much territory as we do. Our district embraces all the territory from 110th Street to Spuyten Duvil, west of Fifth Avenue."

Chief Clerk Dunn said that up to last Saturday tenants had deposited in escrow approximately $340,000. Of this sum the landlords had withdrawn approximately $60,000, or nearly one-sixth. These deposits represent not less than 6,500 cases, and the daily deposits, according to the Chief Clerk, run as high as $25,000 and average considerably more than $15,000. On Armistice Day, according to Chief Clerk Dunn, the deposits amounted to $29,470.

A typical instance came to light yesterday when Grover M. Moskowitz appeared before the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn, representing Charles A. Graber, landlord, and argued on a writ of mandamus, granted by Justice Faber, which ordered Clerk William R. Fagan of the Sixth District Municipal Court to turn over to Graber a month's rent which Harold A. Scott had been ordered by the court to pay to its clerk.

The landlord asked for an increase from $50 to $58 in October. Scott had tendered him $50, which Graber refused. Justice Faber issued the writ requiring the tenant to pay the rent demanded, and the tenant thereupon appealed from Justice Faber's decision on the writ.

The landlord, according to his attorney, has $4,617 tied up in this way, while other tenants have threatened to tie up an additional $8,000. Mr. Moskowitz said this would bring ruin upon the landlord because it would prevent him from meeting his carrying charges. He estimated that more than $1,000,000 was tied up while the landlords were racking their brains trying to find funds to pay their taxes, interest and other fixed charges. The Appellate Division reserved decision in the case.

Justice Benedict in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn yesterday granted a writ of prohibition restraining Justice James A. Dunne of the Fourth District Municipal Court in that borough from transferring to a Manhattan Court an action brought by Nathan Wiesenthal, a landlord, of 308 West 146th Street, Manhattan, to recover from a tenant in that building. The tenant, James J. Baker, maintained that under the emergency housing laws the action should have been brought in the court in the district where the tenant lives. Thousands of rent cases will be affected by the decision in this case.

ATTACKS RENT DECISIONS.

V. M. Earle Fears Sentiment is Displacing Logic in Courts.

Victor M. Earle, a member of the Board of Governors of Real Estate Investors of New York, Inc., in a statement yesterday attacked the two rent decisions handed down by Supreme Court Justice Giegerich in which the court upheld the emergency character of the rent legislation and the police power of the Legislature, and denied writs of peremptory mandamus to two real estate concerns which sought to compel a City Court Justice to issue dispossess warrants. In his decision Justice Giegerich held that the new laws did not deprive persons of their property without due process of law.

Mr. Earle said the decisions aroused wonder as to whether "sentiment is to take the place of logic in our courts" and insists that the Justice decided an emergency exists "despite undisputed facts to the contrary."

MORE MEN INDICTED IN HOUSING INQUIRY

Detectives Said to Have Been Sent Out With Bench Warrants to Arrest the Accused.

It was reported yesterday that the additional November Grand Jury had returned a batch of indictments against men whose names had been mentioned in the Lockwood committee's housing inquiry. The new indictments, it was said, were handed up to Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions in the afternoon, but the identity of the men named in them, and the charges were withheld.

Detectives, it was said, were sent out with bench warrants to arrest the men, and it was expected the accused would be arraigned in General Sessions this morning. The additional November Grand Jury was called to handle criminal charges developed by the Lockwood committee, before the Extraordinary Grand Jury summoned for that purpose began its labors. With the bills returned yesterday, it was said that indictments had been found against twenty-one men mentioned in the housing investigation in the last month.

Joseph Penny and John A. Philbrick, dealers in builders' materials, and who were indicted several days ago for refusing to answer questions at the Lockwood committee's investigation, pleaded not guilty when arraigned yesterday before Justice McAvoy in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court.

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Jersey City's 3,000 Resent Police Decision to Question All Found Out at Night.

WILL PROTEST TO MAYOR

Chief Battersby Explains That Crimes by Negro Offenders Have "Got to Stop."

When Chief of Police Richard T. Battersby of Jersey City, told his captains yesterday morning to have the policemen round up all suspicious looking negroes found in the street late at night he did not know the hornets' nest he was stirring up. That order, it was at first reported, meant that after the curfew hour all negroes were to be kept off the streets under penalty of arrest. The chief denied this, but all day the denial was a long way behind the magnified report.

There are about 3,000 negroes living in Jersey City and every one of them was indignant over the chief's order. There was a meeting last night in the home of Dr. George Cannon, 334 Pacific Street, at which many organizations were represented and the pastor of every negro church in Jersey City was present. The Executive Committee of the Colored Citizen's League of Hudson County was represented, as were the Jersey City branch of the National League for the Advancement of Colored People, the Jersey City Vigilance Committee and the Vigilance Committee of Hudson County.

A committee was formed to appeal to Mayor Frank Hague today against discrimination and to protest to the City Commissioners. The negroes plan to go before the commissioners and demand the removal of Chief Battersby. One of them said it was right to round up all suspicious characters for the public good, but objection was made to singling out the negro. "Treat all alike," was the sentiment of the committee.

There has been an outbreak of crime among negroes in Jersey City lately, the police say, and it was decided to begin a campaign to suppress offenders of that race. Chief Battersby pointed out that the police were within their rights in stopping and questioning all citizens, and there was nothing in the order to cause the lawabiding to fear.

"The men have been instructed hereafter to pick up strange negroes, and that is all there is to the order," he said. "Jersey City is pretty free from crime, and we intend to keep it so. It is the stopping-off place for a great many, for there are a number of railroads coming into the city. We don't propose to have crooks, whether black or white, stopping off here. We have had three crimes by negro offenders three days running, and it has got to stop."

The Chief said he thought the present outbreak by negroes was because so many of them who had been making good money were now losing their jobs.

Two negroes held up Henry B. Stone of 916 West Side Avenue, Jersey City, early yesterday at the Boulevard and Sip Avenue. Stone resisted, and one of the men struck him over the head with a revolver; but both fled when he called for help. Stone was not seriously hurt and lost none of his money.

CONVICT SLAYER QUICKLY.

Soldier, in Record Brief Trial, Gets Verdict for Killing Tailor.

Harry Van Reed of Reading, Pa., a soldier attached to the recruiting station, was tried and convicted of murder in the first degree yesterday before Judge Crain, in General Sessions. He was charged with killing Max Rabinowitz, a tailor and Liberty bond dealer at 235 West Thirty-fourth Street, on the afternoon of Sept. 15 last. The jury deliberated forty minutes.

The trial was the briefest in the record of New York County's first-degree murder cases. Not even a character witness appeared for Van Reed.

Following the verdict, after a brief charge by Judge Crain at 4:40 P. M., Van Reed was remanded to the Tombs to await sentence on Dec. 15.

Mrs. Anna Rabinowitz, the aged widow of the murdered man, was the chief witness against Van Reed. She told how he came into her husband's office, attempted to rob him of $36,000 worth of Liberty bonds, and shot her in the breast and arm when she struggled with the soldier after he had shot and killed her husband.

Van Reed admitted the murder, and said that he was pressed for money and that he decided to rob the tailor or commit suicide.

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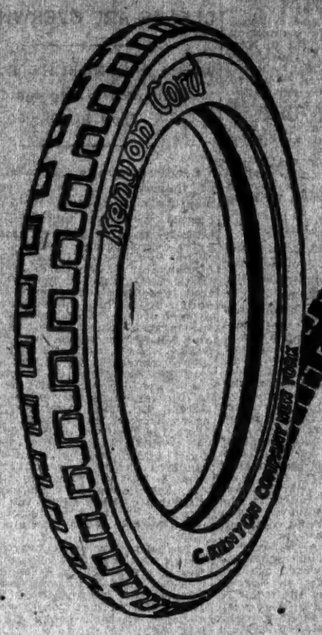

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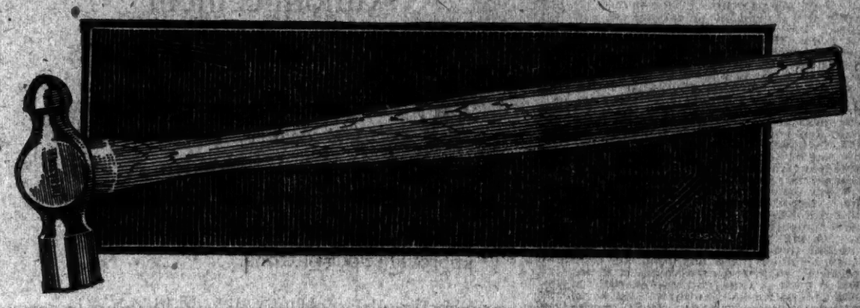

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Percy Grainger's Recital.

Mr. Percy Grainger made the program of his piano recital, which he gave yesterday afternoon in Carnegie Hall, largely of music of the most modern composers, mostly clever and interesting music; and apparently none in the audience, large but not completely filling the hall, hungered and thirsted for anything more that should deserve better words than clever and interesting.

Bach's D minor toccata and fugue, and Chopin's "Barcarole" were the pieces that chiefly deserved better words. Mr. Grainger used for Bach's toccata and fugue both the piano transcriptions—those of Tausig and Busoni—the flowers of pianistic effect from each, altogether very sonorous. His playing of it was clear and vigorous, admirably modulated in respect of dynamics and in tone showing varied effects of color. More, perhaps, of such effects were shown in his performance of Grieg's "Ballade," which has been a favorite of Mr. Grainger's in performance, and whose variations he conceives in an ever-changing spirit.

His newer numbers comprised Daniel Gregory Mason's "Cloud Pageant," from his "Country Pictures," a skillful manipulation of cumulative effects; a "Fragment," "When the Sun's Gone Down," by A. Walter Kramer, in which the mood is established and sustained, and two pieces by H. Balfour Gardiner, a contemporaneous English composer, of whose music very little is known here; a "Prelude" and a "Humoresque," music original in fibre, significantly individual in expression; music that leads to the desire to hear more from the composer.

Besides Chopin's "Barcarole," Mr. Grainger played also "El Albaicin," from Albeniz's suite "Iberia"; his own "Colonial Song," which he has played before, and David Guion's setting of the old "breakdown," "Turkey in the Straw," which had been heard here earlier in the Autumn. Mr. Grainger was liberal in distributing encores; he played Grieg's "Spring Time" after the ballade; after the second group, a "Yuba Dance," that might have been paired with the "Turkey in the Straw," a transcription of a sailors' work song, or chanty—and then some more. These were what the audience hungered and thirsted for.

The Elshuco Trio.

The Elshuco Trio, which has held aloft its eccentric name successfully for three seasons, began its fourth last evening in Aeolian Hall. The trio is composed of Elias Breeskin, violin, Willem Willeke, 'cello, and Aurelio Giorni, piano, of whom obviously Mr. Willeke is the chief distinction, though all are excellent artists. Their ensemble, too, has by this time become well finished and the spirit of the three players is one.

Last evening's program consisted of Beethoven's trio in D, Op. 70, No. 1, one of the chief adornments of this form of music, which the three played with a true understanding of its style; Ravel's trio in A minor, and a trio, also in A minor, described as "fairy tales in form of waltzes," by Eduard Schütt, a Viennese composer who has waltzes in the blood.

Ravel has had his innings in these last few days; the National Symphony Orchestra was playing his "Mother Goose" suite at the same time last evening, and last Thursday the Boston Symphony Orchestra played his suite called "Couperin's Tombs," to say nothing of his "Gibet" and "Jeux d'Eau" that Mr. Bauer played the same afternoon. The trio did not seem one of the best of them. Its effect was rather dry; he, like other contemporary Frenchmen, needs an orchestra, or at least an oboe, to express himself thoroughly. The themes of none of the four movements are stimulating, and, though he conducts them through many tortuous transformations—especially in the last movement, for which he had reserved his sourest dissonances—he arrives at no very convincing issues with them. The trio, which offers many difficulties to the players, was played with great expertness.

The Harvard Glee Club, New Style.

The concert of the Harvard Glee Club, in Aeolian Hall on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 12, will be its first in New York under its present auspices. It has discarded the familiar ideals of a college glee club, and has devoted itself to music of the highest class, for male chorus, from Palestrina to the present time. Its singing of music of this kind under the direction of Dr. Archibald T. Davison has received high praise in Boston, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and Cleveland. The program for Sunday includes pieces by Palestrina, Allegri and Lotti, of the Italian ecclesiastical school, and J. S. Bach; songs by Morley, Rubinstein, Mendelssohn, Coleridge-Taylor, Duparc and Brahms, ending with a chorus by Handel.

NATIONAL SYMPHONY PLAYS

Ravel's 'Mother Goose' in Bodanzky Program—Spalding, Solo Violinist.

The National Symphony Orchestra, under Mr. Bodanzky, played to a large audience in Carnegie Hall last evening its program for the current week's pair of concerts, the music to be duplicated this afternoon, including Ravel's so-called "Mother Goose," Spohr's "Scena Cantante," Opus 47, with Albert Spalding as solo violinist, and, in conclusion, Tschaikovsky's symphony "Pathetique."

Mr. Spalding, an American who grew up as a musician under Italian skies, was naturally attracted to a forgotten work written by a famous violinist over 100 years ago when in Switzerland on the way south to a concert tour beyond the Alps. It is a concerto by another name, fluently melodious, quaintly "recitative," a style with which Spohr intended, as Mr. Gilman's program note remarked, "to tickle the Italian ear by turning the violin into a dramatic soprano." Old-fashioned as it is today, the music had much charm of novelty for present hearers, a charm largely conveyed by its dignified and graceful presentation at the hands of the solo player, who was heartily recalled.

Ravel's five pieces from fairy tales of Perrault and Countess d'Aulnoy, actually composed for two young children as piano duets and since scored as with magic wand for orchestra, were of course familiar, but strikingly placed at the program's start, the iridescent harmonies exhibiting Mr. Bodanzky's men in a new light of collective virtuosity. Tschaikovsky's last symphony, "is in on evil days" of reaction, when "the Elder Statesmen of criticism pass it frigidly by," found a latter-day audience in mood of cordial answer to the program's plaintive question of "what les jeunes" must think of the 'Pathetique.'"

Next Week's Metropolitan Operas.

Verdi's "Requiem" will be sung at the Metropolitan next Sunday night by the opera chorus under Giulio Setti, the assisting quartet including Destinn, Jeanne Gordon, Mario Chamlee and Rothier. Caruso opens the second month of the opera season on Monday night in "La Forza del Destino," with Ponselle, Gordon, Danise and Mardones. Farrar sings next Wednesday for the third time in "Zaza," with Martinelli, De Luca and the usual cast. Other bills of the fifth week will be: Thursday, "Samson," with Caruso, Matzenauer, Whitehill and Rothier; Friday, "Il Carillon Magico," by the ballet, and "Lucia," sung by Garrison, Gigli, De Luca and Mardones, and Saturday matinee, Dec. 18, "Aida" with Destinn, Matzenauer, Martinelli, Danise and Partino.

SENTENCES MOVIE DIRECTOR

Judge Refuses Plea for Clemency of Third-Time Forger.

Despite his eloquent plea to be spared a term in prison, Victor B. Hedman, 26 years old, a motion picture director, was sentenced to five years in Sing Sing yesterday by Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions when the Court learned the defendant already had served a term in prison. Hedman pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with forging the name of Joseph Salznick, treasurer of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, motion picture producers, to a check for $55, which he passed on a delicatessen dealer in Seventh Avenue.

He informed the Court he was graduated from the University of Finland, and that he came here to make a name for himself as an author of motion picture scenarios.

Judge Mulqueen was much impressed until he glanced through a report which revealed that Hedman, in 1916, was sent to the penitentiary for eight months for forgery, and that in the following year he was sent to Sing Sing for three years for the same crime.

"BEGGAR'S OPERA" COMING.

Hopkins to Present Work With English Company Christmas Night.

"The Beggar's Opera," which aroused wide interest in London when it was produced in Hammersmith last Spring, will be presented in New York on Christmas night by Arthur Hopkins at a theatre to be announced later. The original company is coming from England to appear in the piece.

"The Beggar's Opera" was originally written by John Gay in 1728, and has been furnished with additional scenes by Nigel Playfair, who produced it in London, and Arnold Bennett. There is additional music, also, by Frederick Austin. Mr. Playfair will come to America with the company.

Bridge to Aid the Victoria Home.

The Princess Louise Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the British Empire will have an auction bridge tomorrow at the Hotel Pennsylvania at 2 o'clock, in aid of the Victoria Home for aged British men and women. The various Chapters of the order are all working to increase a fund to rebuild the home. Checks may be sent to Mrs. T. E. Hurdus, 2,217 Ditmas Avenue, Brooklyn.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Lionel Atwill made his first appearance as a star last night at Ford's Theatre in Baltimore, where David Belasco produced Granville Barker's adaptation of Sacha Guitry's play, "Deburau." The supporting cast included Hubert Druce, Joseph Herbert, Sidney Toler, Rowland Buckstone, John L. Shine, Edmund Gurney, Elsie Mackaye, Rose Coghlan, Margot Kelly and more than a hundred others. The play will come to the Belasco Theatre on Thursday night, Dec. 23.

There will be daily matinees of "Honeydew" at the Casino Theatre during the week between Christmas and New Year's. Extra matinees of "The Skin Game" at the Bijou are announced for Thursday and Friday, Dec. 30 and 31.

"Pagans," with Irene Fenwick, Joseph Schildkraut and Helen Ware in the cast, will begin a Boston engagement next Monday.

Frances Alda will head the program to be given at the Hippodrome on Sunday night, Dec. 26, in aid of the Catholic Big Brothers. Norman Trevor will be master of ceremonies.

Zona Gale, author of "Miss Lulu Bett," is in New York to attend rehearsals of her dramatization of the story. She will be the guest of honor at a "Book and Play Luncheon" at the Biltmore today, arranged by Emma P. Mills.

"One Life for Another," by Peretz Hirschbein, will be produced by the Jewish Art Theatre late next week.

A. E. Anson and Hilda Spong have been engaged for "Woman to Woman," which A. H. Woods will place in rehearsal tomorrow.

Henry Miller, who is appearing in Washington this week in "The Famous Mrs. Fair," has called off the scheduled matinee today in order that he and his company may see Ruth Chatterton in Barrie's "Mary Rose," now playing in Baltimore.

Little French Pianist Makes Debut.

Yvonne Dienne, a young French pianist, so daintily diminutive she looked a midget at a grand piano, yet strangely a match for the powerful instrument in tense moments of Franck's prelude, chorale and fugue that opened her program, was heard for the first time by a matinee audience yesterday at Aeolian Hall. She gave with sympathetic and delicate touch "Sarabande" of Bach, "Les Maillotins" of Couperin and other old-style pieces by De Castillon, with later works of Chopin, Albeniz and Granados, and a theme and variations by Camille Chevillard.

Nancy Van Kirk in Chinese Songs.

Nancy Van Kirk, mezzo-soprano, gave "an hour of Chinese song and legend" at the Princess Theatre yesterday afternoon, assisted at the piano by Alberta Matthews. The late Charles T. Griffes was composer of four of her interpretations of poems picked like flowers along the road of 3,000 years; others, a mere millennium or so younger, were set to music by Granville Bantock, the English composer, while ten undated were amusing fragments from Crist's "Chinese Mother Goose Rhymes."

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FRI. MAT. at 1, PARSIFAL. Matzenauer; Sembach, Whitehill, Blass, Didur—Bodanzky.
FRI. at 8:15, TOSCA. Destinn; Gigli, Scotti, Ananian, Picco, Reschiglian—Moranzoni.
SAT. at 2:00, OBERON. Ponselle, Howard; Sembach, Diaz, Dua, Martino—Bodanzky.
Next Mon. at 8, FORZA DEL DESTINO. Ponselle, Gordon, Galli; Caruso, Danise, Mardones, Chalmers—Papi.
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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

In the last annual report to Congress upon the state of the Union which it will be his duty and his privilege to submit to Congress, President WILSON makes no express mention of that subject which, more fully than any other, has occupied the minds of the people of the Union during the last two years. It was unnecessary, it would have been futile, for Mr. WILSON to make any recommendation to this Congress in respect to that great aspiration of the world toward assured peace with which through all time his name will be associated. So far as the Sixty-sixth Congress is concerned, final action was taken in respect to the League of Nations when it rejected the Treaty of Peace on March 19 last. Whatever is to be done, or attempted, to give the United States a place among the other nations of the world which have leagued themselves together to establish and uphold the reign of justice and of law, and to prevent war, must necessarily be left to the next Administration and to the Senate of the next Congress. President WILSON has done his work faithfully, he has done all that a man loving peace and that a President earnestly striving to assure peace could do. No other man has done so much. In the history of the transactions which brought the League of Nations into being, including in its membership practically all the nations of the world save the United States and a few others not yet prepared or worthy to be admitted, Mr. WILSON will stand forth, not as the dominant figure, for no man dominated those grave councils, but as the most influential among all the statesmen who joined in the great endeavor. With full trust he may submit his part in the work to the judgment of time and an impartial world.

By a happy coincidence, on the day when Mr. WILSON was calling the attention of Congress to LINCOLN'S words, "let us have faith that right "makes might, and in that faith let "us dare to do our duty as we under-"stand it," as the expression of the principles and purposes that have guided him, it was announced that the Trustees of the Nobel Fund had awarded to him the Peace Prize, thus joining his name to those of ROOSEVELT and ROOT in this distinguished recognition of service done by Americans in the cause of peace. That is a portent of the universal recognition yet to come, even in this country, of his high and disinterested devotion to a cause nobler and more full of promised benefit to humanity than any other, the cause of peace among men, for which he gave his health, and well-nigh his life itself, as a willing sacrifice. It was LINCOLN'S faith in the right, his own faith in the ultimate triumph of the right, that sustained him in the long struggle against opposition springing from sources alien to the purpose he had in view. Though his body be broken, that faith yet sustains his spirit, and he knows, as all men of candor and good-will know, that while he cherished ideals above the custom and comprehension of most men, it was no tenuous idealism, but an intensely practical aim and intent that spurred him on. It is well that the President should remind Congress that there are still men on earth, and he is pre-eminently one of them, who have faith in the right.

The message is brief beyond the wont of Presidents in recent years, and that is a commendable quality, for, now that reports of the heads of departments have come to be so voluminous, it is not necessary that the President should encumber his annual communication to Congress with repetitions of the vast amount of information they give upon the state of the Union. Mr. WILSON, nevertheless, invites Congress to consider matters of public business sufficient to occupy its time during the three months of the short session. There is "necessity for "an immediate consideration of the "revision of our tax laws," he says. The country will agree with that. No subject to come before Congress can be so urgent, or so to which the people of the United States are so solicitous, for that "immediate consideration" which he recommends. The present Income Tax law is bad, it is very bad, it is unjust, harmful and oppressive. It is an increasing menace to the industries and the prosperity of the country, and the party responsible for providing a better system of taxation could commit no greater blunder than to postpone unnecessarily the application of the required remedy.

The adoption of a budget system again has the President's approval. The bill which he vetoed because of a constitutional defect has been amended by the House of Representatives; there is no occasion for delay in its enactment. Congress should give prompt attention, too, to the President's recommendations in behalf of effective aid to the disabled soldiers and sailors. It is in that way, rather than by the indiscriminate distribution of bonus money, that the country's gratitude to the defenders of civilization can be manifested. How Congress will receive Mr. WILSON'S suggestion that a loan be made to the hard-pressed Armenians cannot be foretold, but it is certain that the country would approve that act of humanity. He closes his message with a renewed expression of his faith in the future. Coming from the man who has toiled and suffered so much in their interest, this is an exhortation to courage which the people of the country may well take to heart.

ADVICE AND ADVISERS.

On his return to Marion Senator HARDING is to begin at once his promised series of consultations. These may be considered from two points of view—that of the recipient of advice and that of the givers of it. For neither can the prospect seem very exhilarating.

The next President will have to listen patiently to men diametrically opposed to each other in opinion. One set will strongly advise him to take a certain course, the other exactly the contrary. In the end, he will have to make up his own mind which line to follow. Meanwhile, unless he is of a highly elastic or resistant nature, he will have been wearied by the long audiences with rival pleaders. When they have all had their say, Senator HARDING may be disposed to agree with the saying of NASSAU SENIOR: "The only free trade that does more "harm than good is free trade in ad-"vice."

Those who go to give advice also have sensibilities to be reckoned with. The man who, urges joining the League of Nations will be aware that the next one to get Mr. HARDING'S ear is certain vehemently to oppose it. Similarly of the high tariff, Panama tolls, and so on. One guest at Marion will supply the poison; the next the antidote. They really ought to go in pairs, so as to neutralize each other instantaneously instead of after a lapse of time. Both cannot be heeded. One or the other is sure to feel the hurt of wise counsel rejected. It may turn out that seeking advice is like the traditional appointing to office—the unlucky man who has to decide makes one ingrate and nine enemies.

INVESTIGATING THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

The Lockwood committee, which has done such remarkable work in exposing collusion, conspiracy and graft in connection with the building situation, and has brought out incidentally so many unpleasant facts, will end with the year. The whole municipal Administration is disorganized. Much of it is under suspicion. Some men holding important relations to it are under indictment. Others are accusing each other of corruption. The District Attorney's office needs looking into. The chronic inability of the Police Department to detect or prevent crime, almost the safest profession in the city at present, is notorious and scandalous. The relations between building contractors and certain Tammany politicians and office-holders are strongly suspect. An impartial but thorough-going investigation of the whole City Administration is called for by public opinion and is plainly necessary.

It is necessary for the vindication of the innocent as well as the exposure and punishment of the incompetent and the guilty. Such a widened investigation by a legislative committee, by the Lockwood committee with widened powers or any other committee determined to find the truth, is expected from the next Legislature. As usual, narrow and blear-eyed partisan politics cannot see the general public interest. Won't it hurt the Republican Party? some Republican politicians are asking. If only the Mayor's office, the Police Department, the Finance Department and the Board of Education are investigated, won't the Republicans seem to be seeking merely the advantage of their party and won't they "make a martyr "of Mayor HYLAN?

The reasons for a general investigation are much higher than any partisan fear or hope. Nobody can "make a martyr" of the Mayor. His intellectual penalty, his grotesque and multifarious incompetence, are newly displayed every day. He is only a figurehead. From the first his Administration has been badly edited; and in the hands of interested or unwise advisers he can do little more than flounder hopelessly. The majority of the people of New York, whatever their politics, cannot be brought to sympathize with him. They sympathize with themselves. They see themselves the victims of a headless and wasteful Government. They see crime flourishing unchecked. They see enormous graft in the building trades and contracts. They see the Board of Estimate a bedeviled bear-garden. They see pretty much the whole Administration at sixes and sevens. When so much evil has been shown, they are naturally inclined to believe that there is more behind.

It is for the benefit of the people of New York, and not with any regard to the benefit or injury of the Republican Party in the next municipal election, that a thorough and general inquiry into the municipal Administration is absolutely needed. There should be no politics in it. Republicans should remember that New York is usually a Democratic community. Mr. HYLAN was imposed upon the Democrats; and the majority of them are probably weary of him. He and all other city officials should have fair and just treatment from the investigating committee. Not as Republicans or Democrats, but as taxpayers and citizens, the people of New York are entitled to know just what sort of government they are getting.

Every department should be scrutinized severely but honestly. The personal aspect of the inquiry will be only temporary. Even the punishment of the guilty, if such are found, is not the main result to be hoped for. The people want to know the errors, the deficiencies, the abuses by which the City Government, in some of its departments at least, functions with such evident inefficiency. The essential object of the investigation should be constructive good government. For its effect, if it has any, on Republican or Democratic local fortunes, the majority of New Yorkers, outside of the tribe of politicians, don't care a plugged penny.

DEMOCRACY IN THE LEAGUE.

Whatever his intentions may have been, HONORIO PUEYRREDON has emerged as the leading benefactor of the League, at least during its present session. Under the conviction that the Covenant could be transmogrified while you wait—a conviction that seems to have been shared by weightier intellects—he was the means of establishing its character as a written constitution and of bringing to light the wise and precise, if more deliberate, method prescribed for its amendment. Now he has challenged the "democracy" of the apportionment of power between Council and Assembly, with results that should prove similarly illuminating.

It is true that a "majority," composed of the smaller nations that are represented in the Assembly, has power that is in some respects secondary. But it is a strangely perverse conception of democracy which makes the government unit the nation and not the individual citizens. The Council represents the four most populous countries in the League—five when the United States is included—and with them four nations of the next order, namely, Brazil, Belgium, Spain and Greece. Thus the Council represents by far the larger portion of the civilised world in so far as it has been included under the League. It represents, moreover, the peoples among whom free institutions originated and have reached their highest development. And these, as it happens, are the ones that have sustained the chief burden of the war; they are still shackled by the need of maintaining armaments, and are therefore most deeply interested in promoting the peace of the world. The four minor members of the Council, furthermore, are in future to be "selected by the Assembly." If the Covenant errs in either direction, it is in vesting a minority of the civilized citizens of the world with a power, as organized in the Assembly, which is in many ways co-ordinate with that of the great peoples represented in the Council. Nothing more preposterous has ever been urged than that the few should hold sway over the many simply because they happen to be split up into a multitude of States.

The provision for the future development of the League is conceived in the same liberal spirit. If Germany and Russia are eventually admitted, as every one hopes they may be, the way is clear for their inclusion on the Council.

With the approval of the majority of the Assembly, the Council may name additional Members of the League whose Representatives shall always be members of the Council; the Council with like approval may increase the number of Members of the League to be selected by the Assembly for representation on the Council.

In some regards the respective powers of Council and Assembly are not clearly defined, or are as yet imperfectly understood, but it is the unmistakable intention that a majority of the citizens of the civilised world shall always be represented on the Council, as also that the composition of the Council shall be altered from time to time in response to changing conditions. Doubtless some compromise with mathematical principles of equality has been necessary; but in this respect the Covenant compares very favorably with our own Constitution.

All this must by now be thoroughly realized at Geneva. Nothing has been more noteworthy than the patient courtesy with which Señor PUEYRREDON'S unreasonable demands were received—except it be the serene and holy calm that settled upon Geneva when he departed. And nothing could attest more conclusively the solidarity of the League than the fact that his elaborately prepared bomb proved a "dud."

UNEMPLOYMENT OF CAPITAL.

The unemployment of capital is the unemployment of labor. Nothing pleases the capitalist more than to put his dollars to work, and he cannot do that without paying wages. Nothing offends the economist more than the unemployment of capital, because the interest unearned today cannot be earned tomorrow. CHARLES M. SCHWAB is both a capitalist and a master workman. He worked his dollars hard, and is an easier taskmaster for others than for himself. His grievance against the tax laws which oppress all industry is not that they part him from his money, but that they make capital unproductive. "Excessive "taxes tend toward leveling, but it "is leveling downward, because the "supply of free capital arising from "profits, instead of being turned "back into industry, is turned into "the coffers of Government, and "there is mostly wasted." Government makes no money, and pays no wages in productive industry. The taxes which the Government takes are diverted from the wage fund. When the taxes are put on the rich the poor do not have to pay them, but they suffer from loss of wages which the taxes would produce if they were invested capital. If there is to be any surplus, there must be production; and when profits and production stop together the country suffers from loss of production, just as labor suffers from loss of wages.

This is one of the moot points between labor and capital. Profits represent the exploitation of labor, in the view of more than the Marxians. Even so experienced a spokesman for labor as Mr. GOMPERS in the last issue of The Federationist remarks upon the arrest of production by capital, and finds in it some inconsistency with the advice to labor to produce more if it wishes to have wages raised. Why not raise wages and provide a fund for consumption which should prevent overproduction? To Mr. GOMPERS it seems that profits are the result of raising prices, and that capital stops production to raise prices or to keep prices up. Mr. SCHWAB thinks that capital stops production because the taxes deplete capital. Another reason is that, when capital raises prices beyond the ability of buyers to pay, capital becomes absorbed in goods unsold, in "inventories" which suffer depreciation, and there is no free capital with which to pay wages. Banks must pay their checks on demand. Capital in industry must pay wages when due, and cannot pay them when it cannot collect them from the sales of products. The wage fund comes from what the labor produces, not from the pockets of capital beyond a limited sum and for a limited time.

It is remarkable with what unthinking gayety labor strikes and sacrifices wages. It is even more remarkable in contrast with the gloom with which capital stops production. It is the difference between ignorance and knowledge, between theory and practice. If labor had capital's knowledge, it could work for profits rather than for wages. Labor has the power to stop the profits of capital, but when it does so it makes men and dollars idle together. The taxes on wealth which are so popular would have prevented the establishment of Mr. SCHWAB'S Bethlehem or Mr. GARY'S Steel Corporation. The taxes gathered from them and the great profits they have made are together insignificant in comparison with the wages they have paid. Why is it that nonsense is so popular, and that labor cannot be persuaded to see that its true interest and capital's are inseparable?

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT PROBLEMS.

The report of the Secretary of the Interior, JOHN BARTON PAYNE, is 217 pages long, but not long enough to do justice to the complex work of his subordinates and himself. His jurisdiction includes Alaska as well as the Continental United States, and he is responsible for the General Land Office, the Indian Office, the Bureau of Pensions, the Patent Office, the Bureau of Education, the Geological Survey, the Reclamation Service, the Bureau of Mines and the National Park Service, for what is done and left undone by the Commissioners and Directors, while the Governor of Alaska and the Governor of Hawaii report to him. For full measure his responsibility extends to various institutions in the District of Columbia.

If the Secretary of the Interior were ten duly qualified men, he could have his hands full in looking after his department. Naturally his report must be incomplete, although a bulky document which can take no note of print paper and the cost of it. At this time of scarcity there is no more important paragraph in Mr. PAYNE'S report than the following:

> Wood pulp and print paper furnish one of the greatest immediate opportunities for the profitable employment of labor and capital in Alaska. The Forest Service estimates an ultimate possible annual production of about 2,000,000 cords of pulp wood from Alaska timber, yielding a newsprint product equal to one-third of our present annual consumption.

The Alaska Advisory Committee, appointed by the Secretary of the Interior on April 22, 1920, recommends that "an intensive campaign be made "for the development of Alaska pulp "wood by laying before the pulp and "paper manufacturers and consum-"ers the possibilities of the imme-"diate development of an industry in "the Territory." The proposal should be taken up without delay, for the paper shortage is serious and embarrassing. Realizing upon the resources of Alaska in other respects is an opportunity that should not be neglected. It has paid for itself over and over again, and yet its wealth has scarcely been tapped. The greatest need of the Territory is transportation. The Secretary reports that the Government railroad, 540 miles in length, will be completed in 1922. New mineral wealth of great value will be developed when this line is opened. Improvement of the steamship service by consolidation of the two companies engaged in it is urged by the Secretary. The mail service is deplorably bad, and if it were not for the army cable and the naval radio service Alaska would sometimes be cut off from the world for weeks together.

Domestic reconstruction as related to farming is a subject that Secretary PAYNE regards as of the first importance. Can the drift to the cities be remedied, he asks, by the promotion of neighborhood associations? He urges passage of the Smoot "rural homes bill" as an aid to increased land ownership, extension of acreage under cultivation and promotion of agriculture generally. Prices of farm products will remain high unless "back to the land" becomes a steady movement. For the welfare of the Indians citizenship for all and a halt upon issuing fee patents to the incompetent are recommended. The Secretary resolutely opposes projects to use the national park lakes for power storage. If commercialism is allowed to creep into the people's parks, he declares, "those places and objects "now so wonderful will be seriously "and permanently injured."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Both Cases Seem to Be Good.

As it stands, there is an especial prettiness about the quarrel that has started—"started" is the right word, for it is likely to go on long and far—between ERNEST L. CRANDALL, who is Director for the Board of Education of its Public Lecture Bureau, and the Rev. Dr. WILLIAM CARTER of Brooklyn. The controversy is peculiar in that each of the antagonists has such a good case, and that each presents his case so well, that if the "innocent bystander" heard only one of them he would be likely to conclude that the other had no case at all.

It seems that Dr. CARTER, as one of the bureau's lecturers, recently delivered in Erasmus Hall High School an address in which he made remarks about a racial group that much offended some of his hearers, and their protests, coming before the Board of Education, caused Mr. CRANDALL to write to Dr. CARTER a letter, not exactly of reproof of what had been said, but rather of advice not to do it again—advice which, coming whence it did, could be taken as an order. Dr. CARTER so took it, and forthwith sent in his resignation as lecturer.

The reason he gave for resigning was that the freedom of speech that had been promised to the board's lecturers—the full liberty to tell the truth as they saw it on any subject they wanted to discuss—had been infringed to an intolerable degree. Yet Mr. CRANDALL had taken pains to say in his letter to Dr. CARTER that to impose any such restriction was not his purpose—that he simply felt it unwise, in lectures delivered under the auspices of the city and in public schools, to treat topics sure to excite deep feeling in people whom recent events had put in a mood of almost hysterical sensitiveness to criticism.

Relation of Rights to Obligations.

Between Mr. CRANDALL and Dr. CARTER, therefore, there has been raised an issue that cannot be settled to the satisfaction of everybody. Both of them have right and reason on their side, and opinions as to whether the one or the other should carry his point will vary, quite honestly and justifiably, according to where the judge places the more of emphasis—on freedom of speech or on the avoidance of giving offense in matters that are and must remain in a domain where racial antagonisms and prejudices abound. As for Dr. CARTER, perhaps he identifies the right to speak his mind at any time with the obligation to speak it at all times. The obligation is by no means a necessary implication of the right—which is fortunate, else would life become even more unpleasant and dangerous than it is now. On the other hand, Mr. CRANDALL did not make clear—probably because he couldn't—whether or not he thought the public expression of opinion on controversial subjects was made wrong if angry emotions were created by it. Of course, he would lay down no such rule as one always to be followed, and yet in a way he did lay it down as the rule to be followed by Dr. CARTER in lecturing to the school children.

The chances are that if two well-intentioned men like these had talked together, instead of writing letters, they would not have fallen out, for one doesn't like to think, and doesn't need to believe, that they are at real variance on any issue either of morals or discretion.

Strikers Living in Tents.

A pathetic consequence of the long strike in the West Virginian coal fields is the establishment of many large and small tent colonies in which the miners and their families have been living for months and in which they must continue to live through the Winter if this particularly bitter "labor war" is not brought to a close. Something very like real war it has been, with deadly weapons effectively used on both sides.

As described yesterday from personal observation by a representative of THE TIMES, the men are getting along fairly well as tent dwellers—are not suffering appreciably, that is, from the inevitable hardships and deprivations they have undergone. The women and children, on the contrary, show plainly the marks of suffering in both body and mind.

As yet these sufferings presumably are due chiefly to the cessation of wages and consequent poverty rather than to living under canvas, but conditions will be made vastly worse with the arrival of the severe weather that comes every Winter in this mountainous region, and a heavy responsibility therefore will rest on both miners and operators if they do not settle soon on terms for the resumption of work.

As in the case of every strike, a third interest is involved in this one—the interest of the general public in coal production. To that interest neither the miners nor the operators seem to pay the attention it deserves—or any attention, for that matter.

Punishment Must Be Immediate.

Pennsylvania's State Board of Censors has solved, or at least its members think they have solved, the problem of "crime films"—have determined, that is, how adventures and careers of criminals can be presented at the movie theatres and where the line against them must be drawn.

The test seems to be as to whether or not, when offered to view, the criminals are enjoying themselves and having experiences calculated to excite the admiration and emulation of youthful or weak observers. It is not enough, the censors hold, that retribution overtakes the villain at last; he must suffer for his sins all the time of his visibility.

That is a conclusion to which any board of censors would be likely to come, censors being by nature stupid and indifferent to the realities of life. Their rule, if followed, not only reverses the established law of melodrama—the law that makes melodrama possible as well as "moral"—but it teaches a lesson that every movie patron, including the children who get in without guardians, knows to be false.

Whether villains should suffer all the time or not, they certainly don't, and an attempt to teach that they do is quite hopeless. Fortunately, the Pennsylvania censors will not be allowed to apply their rule to literature. If they were, there would be a dreadful banning of best books, as well as of best sellers, in all the libraries of the State.

WOMEN IN GREEK PLOTS.

A Denial That There Was Any Oppression Under Venizelos.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

We have read with great astonishment and indignation in a late number of a certain Athenian journal (Esperini) a telegram from New York according to which The Evening Telegraph (sic) of New York published in one of its late October numbers a long appeal to the women of America protesting against the persecution, oppression and ill-treatment to which the women of Greece belonging to the Opposition Party are subjected by the Venizelos authorities.

We strongly protest against such publications of the foreign press, which thus expose the honor of our country without previous elucidation and verification of such serious accusations.

If, on account of the internal conflict between the liberal party on one side and the monarchic revolutionary party on the other, the responsible Government of Greece, which is based on true democratic principles, found it necessary to use measures of temporary restriction against a few (not more than ten) women, proved dangerous to the security of our country fighting the big war by the side of our allies, and more lately women implicated in the conspiracy against the life of Premier Venizelos, we solemnly affirm that these measures have never exceeded the limits of lawful action nor transgressed against any rules of humanity.

Any contrary communication is a shameful calumny, which can easily be verified by any one who is interested to learn the truth.

By order of the League of Greek Women for Women's Rights.

MARIE M. NEGROPONTE,
The President.

(Affiliated with the International Women Suffrage Alliance).
Athens, Nov. 3, 1920.

Irish Hopes for Sympathy Here.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

So much has been written recently with reference to the incident of the flying of the English flag at the Union Club that perhaps a few words from an Irishman may be opportune.

No one, I believe, questions the legal right of the Union Club to have the English flag flying from its building, as Archbishop Hayes has stated, but I think that under the circumstances it was somewhat in bad taste. Perhaps the fact that a high official of the English Consular Service was present at the club at the time had something to do with the club's insistance on its rights.

References to America as the "Greater Ireland" mean only, as I feel certain John Reynolds, writing in THE NEW YORK TIMES knows, that because of the successive waves of Irish immigration to America caused by English tyranny Irishmen have been allowed to enjoy these blessings of self-determined government which, although they have striven for at home, they had been unable until recently to acquire.

Many of the first "rebels" who willingly gave up their lives so that America can now enjoy self-determination were Irishmen. Do the American people not recognize any obligation for the many sacrifices which have been made by men and women of Irish birth through every vicissitude of the growth of the American Republic in order to maintain the right to a free enjoyment of life and liberty?

The Irish people in their aspirations for self-determination have absolute confidence in the sympathy and goodwill of the American people, and recently President-elect Harding and Governor Cox gave public utterance to this feeling. It is unnecessary for me to remind your readers that the most popular of President Wilson's fourteen points was the right to self-determination of all small nations, so brightening Ireland's hopes as we believed in its sincerity and fulfillment.

P. L. BODKIN.
Brooklyn, Dec. 3, 1920.

TO ONE IN GRIEF.

It is the years, the empty years, you fear—
The years that stretch ahead, bereft, forlorn,
The vista of the hopeless years, all shorn
Of that one presence that you held so dear!
So many months to grieve, in every year,
So many days in every month to mourn,
So many hours in which to wear the thorn!
Ah! yes, it is the endless years you fear!
But hearken, mourner! I, who whisper low,
Have passed this way; I, too, have grieved—I know!
Look not adown the years, but, one by one,
Bear each day as it comes; when it is done,
Turn to the morrow—to your sad heart say:
"Oh, brave heart, bear it just another day!"

ROSELLE MERCIER MONTGOMERY.

ART NOTES.

Collection of Etchings on View at American Galleries.

At the American Art Galleries is a collection of etchings most of them after well-known paintings and belonging to various owners, Mrs. Eben Sutton, James Dunnes, the estate of Helen C. Bostwick and others. Among the painter-etchings are several by Frank Brangwyn, artist's proofs and good impressions, a round dozen by Haig, large plates and cathedral subjects, and a couple by Seymour Haden, "Egham Lock" and "Sunset on the Thames."

The etchers who have contented themselves with interpreting the paintings of artists other than themselves appear in force with much beautiful work. In spite of the fact that the art of etching has been raised to a plane far above that upon which it stood in the middle years of the nineteenth century by the artists who have practiced it as an autographic method, honor is due to the devoted interpreters who worked often with extraordinary skill and taste.

Jules Breton's paintings were great favorites with the public in the popular etched form, and a large group of these is in the present collection. Paul Rajon making especially good plates. Jacques's richer chiaroscuro, however, gave his translators a broader opportunity for technical feats, and the fact that he was himself so admirable an etcher may have inspired them to emulation. Certainly "La Sortie," etched by Achille Gilbert, is one of the most attractive plates in the exhibition. Of course there are Dendy Sadlers in all stages of Victorian sentiment and a large number of Meissoniers, one etched by Felix Braquemond.

The big, handsome prints, transgressing all the laws of the modern game, will nevertheless be liked as long as large wall spaces remain to be hung with restful black and white.

WILL DEBATE BLUE LAWS.

Motion Picture Theatrical Association Plans Big Mass Meeting.

A debate on Sunday blue laws at a big mass meeting, at which advocates of the Puritanical Sunday idea will be invited to appear, is planned by the Motion Picture Theatrical Association as part of a campaign against the agitation to prohibit Sunday movies.

The association will predicate its fight on the premise that only a small minority favors a "sunless" Sunday, and it will couple with its efforts to maintain Sunday shows an active propaganda against the exhibition of unwholesome pictures on any day.

At a meeting yesterday the association decided to ascertain, through its wide membership, the wishes of the majority of the public in this important matter. It believes prohibition of Sunday performances "would not only be un-American, but an injustice to a great body of people who derive information, education and other beneficial results from wholesome motion pictures."

William H. Anderson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, in a statement said:

"The real animus back of the hullabaloo over Sabbath restrictions and the effort to tie it on to the Anti-Saloon League is a desire on the part of the opponents of prohibition in New York State so to discredit the Anti-Saloon League as the victorious agency of the federated church and moral forces as to weaken, if not destroy, the influence which it might reasonably be expected to exert in behalf of the enactment of prohibition legislation by the New York Legislature, for it is in New York that most of the fuss is being made."

PAYS $10,000,000 TO BRITAIN

American Army Clears Up Its Outstanding War Contracts.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The American Army has, in one way or another, cleared up all outstanding war contracts with Great Britain by payment of a lump sum of approximately $10,000,000. The bulk of this goal to pay for heavy artillery ordered shortly before the armistice, delivery of which has not yet been completed, although it is hoped that it will be by the end of the year.

The next largest item was that incurred for the North Russian campaign, for which the United States paid Great Britain approximately $1,750,000. This was mostly for articles of equipment, and when the armistice was signed hundreds of men in Great Britain were working on big gun contracts for the United States. As the materials had already been purchased for the contracts, it was considered advisable to allow the manufacture of the big guns to proceed, thus giving employment to a large number, and completing the contracts in that manner, rather than trying to pay a lump sum to cancel them.

GIVES $150,000 TO COLLEGE.

A. Barton Hepburn Endows Professorship of Economics at Williams.

A gift approximating $150,000 has just been made to Williams College by A. Barton Hepburn, Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Chase National Bank, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Garfield, President of the college. Although Dr. Garfield would not disclose the exact amount of the fund presented, he said the income from it probably would exceed $5,500.

"Mr. Hepburn's gift," said Dr. Garfield, "is to be used to endow the A. Barton Hepburn Professorship of Economics. In my last annual report I stated that it was necessary immediately to bring professors' salaries to a $5,000 basis, and that as soon as possible the basis should be advanced to $5,500. To reach the $5,000 basis, I said, an additional endowment of $1,000,000 was necessary. Thereupon the General Education Board offered to contribute $200,000 on condition that the college raise the remaining $800,000. Now comes Mr. Hepburn with a gift of substantially one-sixth the latter amount."

Mr. Hepburn is not a Williams alumnus, but his son graduated there in the class of 1900.

BELGIUM ECONOMIZES.

What Imports and War and Railway Budgets to Be Reduced.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 7.—Changes in the bread-making formulas to reduce wheat imports and radical budget economies were decided upon by the Council of Ministers yesterday. The War and Railway Departments will be greatly reduced and several public construction works will be abandoned.

There is no intention to institute a tax on capital, it is announced, but it is likely that a tax will be imposed on business transactions.

CASTRO ARRIVES IN CUBA.

Bound for New York, He Refuses to Discuss Venezuelan Affairs.

HAVANA, Dec. 7.—General Cipriano Castro, former President of Venezuela, and wife have arrived at Santiago, Cuba, en route to New York, according to a dispatch to El Mundo last night.

Interrogated regarding political affairs in Venezuela, especially rumors regarding a forthcoming revolution, Castro declined to talk, declaring that he had retired to private life and was entirely out of politics.

NEAR ACCORD IN SYRIA.

Arrangement of French and British Claims Is Reported Probable.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Difficulties relative to territorial claims of Great Britain and France in Syria and Palestine are nearing a solution, says the Matin. In the course of their conference in London Premiers Leygues and Lloyd George discussed the situation, and the latter is said to have recognized the fact that British claims were in some instances not well founded.

WON'T BOOM SMITH FOR COMING MAYOR

Citizens Union Assures Governor Its Luncheon Saturday Will Be in Nobody's Interest.

WANTS HIM ONLY AS GUEST

Executive Finds His Public and Private Duties Will Not Permit His Attendance.

The Citizens Union does not intend to launch a boom for Governor Alfred E. Smith for Mayor at its annual meeting and luncheon to be held Saturday at the Hotel Astor. William Jay Schieffelin, Chairman of the Union, made this clear yesterday when he made public his correspondence with Governor Smith inviting him to the meeting.

In a statement accompanying the letters Mr. Schieffelin said that the impression prevailed in some quarters that the invitation to Governor Smith "was an indication that the Citizens Union was getting ready to launch a boom for the Governor as a candidate for Mayor."

Mr. Schieffelin's letter to the Governor read:

Nov. 30, 1920.

Governor Alfred E. Smith, Executive Chamber, Albany, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Governor: Last year you were good enough to say you would speak at the annual luncheon of the Citizens Union, but were obliged to postpone it on account of your mother's illness. This year we are to have our luncheon on Saturday, Dec. 11, at the Hotel Astor, and I hope you will come as an honored guest on that occasion.

Your friends are quoted in the newspapers as saying that you would be happier in the United States Senate than in the City Hall, and I believe that that is true; so if you can attend our lunch you need not fear that the Citizens Union will acclaim you as our next Mayor rather than as our good Governor. I know that a good many think that your nomination as Mayor would be the best thing that could happen to the city, because it would require the nomination of a first-class man by the Republicans, so that whoever would be elected would be a great improvement; but, as I said, if you will be our guest neither you nor the Union will be committed to anything because others are to be there who are also prominently mentioned for the Mayoralty.

We wish to welcome you as one whose record in the Legislature, in the Constitutional Convention, as Sheriff and as Governor has won our respect and whose personal character has commanded our esteem. Believe me, yours very sincerely,

WILLIAM JAY SCHIEFFELIN.

Governor Smith's reply was as follows:

Dec. 4, 1920.

Colonel William Jay Schieffelin, Citizens Union of the City of New York, 41 Park Row, New York City.

My Dear Colonel Schieffelin: Upon my return to the office today I received your very kind letter of Nov. 30.

I am sorry that I will have to decline the invitation you extend in behalf of the Citizens Union to be present at the luncheon on Saturday, Dec. 11. It is physically impossible for me to clean up the business in hand, move the family to New York before Christmas, which I must do, and attend to my own affairs, which I think you will agree with me are very important at this time, and at the same time be attending public functions. I have declined so many that I cannot play favorites. I speak frankly to you knowing you will understand the situation.

Thanking you for the kind sentiments expressed in your letter, and with kind regards and best wishes, I am, sincerely yours,

ALFRED E. SMITH.

While politics will be discussed at the luncheon, particularly the coming municipal campaign, there will be no Mayoralty booms launched, it is said.

AID WHITE PLAGUE WAR.

Two Send Checks for $1,000 Each to Tuberculosis Association.

Two checks for $1,000 each, one from William Averill Harriman, the other from Victor Morawetz, a member of the Board of Directors of the New York Tuberculosis Association, have swelled the Christmas seal sales to $31,550, it was announced yesterday. The association requires $200,000, if it is to continue its present work.

Dr. James Alexander Miller, President of the association, said:

"The citizens of New York need to be reminded that there are today 27,714 persons suffering from tuberculosis registered at the Department of Health. The protective measures carried out by the association, the attention paid to the health of the 18,000 children exposed to the disease in the home, the supervision of the thirty public and private clinics of the city where 45,000 persons are annually examined, must continue. It cannot be done unless the public supports the undertaking."

During the noon hour, members of the dramatic division, headed by Mr. and Mrs. Coburn of the "French Leave" company, are selling the Christmas seals in front of the New York Public Library, at Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street. The seals may also be bought in all the principal hotels, railway stations and office buildings.

NO JAPAN-CHILE ALLIANCE.

Tokio Officials Suggest That Bolsheviki Spread the Rumor.

TOKIO, Dec. 7.—Reports recently circulated in Europe and America of an alliance between Japan and Chile may have been "part of the general Bolshevist propaganda" aimed at damaging Japanese-American relations. This was suggested by Japanese Foreign Office officials today. The officials gave voice to this suggestion in connection with a denial by the Foreign Office that there was any truth in the reports of the alliance.

The Japanese denial follows a similar one from the Foreign Minister of Chile, announced in a Santiago dispatch of Dec. 5. There was "not the slightest basis of fact" in the rumors published in the European and American press regarding a Chilean-Japanese alliance, said Foreign Minister Echeperria, who characterized the rumors as "absurd."

WANTS PHILIPPINES DRY.

Senator Jones Also Introduces Bill to Control Traffic in Opiates.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Several so-called reform measures were introduced today by Senator Jones, Republican, of Washington. One would extend the prohibition laws to the Philippines and all other territory under the jurisdiction of the United States, including consular districts in China and other countries.

Another of the measures would prohibit the exportation of opiates and also their importation except under regulations to be drawn by the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of Commerce and the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service.

MRS. DITZLER WEDS MAJ. SCHERMERHORN

Church Worker Married by Rev. Dr. Seagle in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

MISS WURZBACH A BRIDE

Wed to Paul M. Grimm at Hotel Astor—Nuptial of Miss Dorothy Taylor and W. Gutterson.

Major Edward G. Schermerhorn and Mrs. Charlotte T. Ditzler were married yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. The Rev. Dr. Nathan A. Seagle, rector of the church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires.

Arthur L. Leland gave the bride in marriage, and Arthur F. Schermerhorn acted as best man for his brother.

The bride is an active church worker. Major Schermerhorn has long been prominent in military and civic affairs. He was in charge of the State military affairs under Governor Sulzer. He is a member of the Sons of the Revolution, Society of Colonial Wars, Holland Society, St. Nicholas Society and Society of the War of 1812.

Grimm-Wurzbach.

Miss Ruth Amalia Wurzbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Wurzbach, and Paul M. Grimm, son of Mrs. J. Peltz Grimm, were married last evening at the Hotel Astor, the Rev. Dr. Gordon B. Kierstead officiating.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Beatrice V. Wurzbach, and Miss Louise West. Charles R. Gaiser was best man, and the ushers were Louis D. Rieder and Dr. Fred A. Wurzbach Jr.

The bride's father is President of the Bronx Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and First Vice President of the Bronx Board of Trade.

Gutterson-Taylor.

The marriage is announced of Miss Dorothy Felthausen Taylor, daughter of James W. Taylor of the Hotel Buckingham, this city, and Wilder Gutterson, son of the Rev. and Mrs. George H. Gutterson of Cambridge, Mass., which took place last Saturday afternoon at the Hotel Gotham. The Rev. Mr. Gutterson performed the ceremony.

TWO DEBUTANTES GREETED.

Misses Betty W. Merchant and Constance Nash Introduced.

Miss Betty Wolcott Merchant, the daughter of Mrs. Huntington W. Merchant of 30 East Sixty-eighth Street, made her début yesterday afternoon at a luncheon which her cousin, Mrs. Lewis B. Woodruff, gave for her at 14 East Sixty-eighth Street. The debutantes were seated at the four tables with unique decorations, which were brought from Ash Grove, the Woodruff country place at Litchfield, Conn. A huge pumpkin hollowed out as a jardinière and filled with the red and yellow berries of the bittersweet bush formed the centrepiece of each and shaded red woodbine vines with wintergreen berries and leaves covered the lace cloths.

At each débutante's plate was an autographed copy of one of Mrs. Woodruff's novels, and at each of the table hostesses' plate was a copy of Rose Macauley's "Potterisms," a recent English novel. The individual table hostesses were, besides Mrs. Woodruff, Kate Douglas Wiggin, Carolyn Wells, Dana Gatlin, Margaret Widdemer and Blanche Shoemaker Wagstaff, each of whom read an original poem or short story. The programs contained verses from Mrs. Woodruff's coming novel "What David Did."

Besides Miss Merchant the guests included the Misses Mary Van R. Cogswell, Eliza Seymour Paris, Katharine Hurd, Eleanor Swenson Towne, Suzanne du Vivier, Kathleen Beale Crawford, Virginia Fox, Georgina L. Wells, Carolyn Ferriday, Dorothy D. Brown, Julia Fincke, Juliet Chisolm, Dorothy Sharpe, Margaret Davison, Katherine Morris and Harriet J. M. Camac.

Miss Constance Nash, the débutante daughter of Walter Bynner Nash of 410 Park Avenue, made her début yesterday at a luncheon at the Ritz-Carlton which her aunt, Mrs. Antonio Ponvert gave for her. The guests were the Misses Marguerite Doubleday, Katherine Bliss, Genevieve Cawthra, Stephanie Rasmus, Camilla Livingston, Geraldine Thompson, Margaret Stout, Catherine Watjen, Clara Workum, Betsy Flagg, Katherine DeLancey Thorn, Wilena Kohler, Dorothy Hodgman, Dorothy Clemens, Audrey T. Sherman, Elizabeth Lee Dodge, Florence Knox, Gertrude Ogden, Waudern Mathews, Martha Ottley, Odette Feder, Helen Trevor, Katherine W. Francis, Mary Wistar Morris, Grace Knox, Isabel Rockefeller, Cynthia Bigelow, Mary Hepburn and Marjorie Hughes.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Jessie K. Lobdell to Wed John James Chew.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Watkins Lobdell of Mountain Lakes, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jessie Katharine Lobdell, to John James Chew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Chew of Washington, D. C. Mr. Chew is a graduate of Cornell, and served as a Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell Smith of Orange, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Amy F. Smith, to Howard G. Hamlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hamlin of San José, Cal. Miss Smith is a granddaughter of the late L. Jacquelin Smith of this city, and a grandniece of Major Henry E. Smith of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Brown of Perth Amboy, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Agnes Brown, to Alfred Mathiasen of Keyport, N. J., son of the late Karl Mathiasen. Mr. Mathiasen is a graduate of Princeton, class of '17, and served in the naval aviation corps during the war.

NEW HOSPITAL FOR ALBANY.

Mrs. J. C. Farrell Proposes Memorial to Husband.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 7.—Mrs. James C. Farrell, daughter of the late Anthony N. Brady, is about to build a million dollar hospital in this city to take the place of the present St. Peter's Hospital, which is now badly located and which is in need of much renovation.

The new structure will be on a large plot of ground in the Pine Hills residential section and will be the final word in such institutions. It is to be known as the James C. Farrell Memorial Hospital. Mr. Farrell died a year ago. He was a philanthropist and had done much good among the needy in Albany.

At his death the whole city mourned and a suggestion was made that a memorial should be erected to his memory.

Mrs. H. E. Manville Is Hostess.

Mrs. H. Edward Manville gave a small luncheon yesterday at her home, 120 East Seventy-second Street, her guests including those who will give dinners before her dance at the Ritz on Jan. 4. They were Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Mrs. Dean Barker, Mrs. J. Rich Steers, Mrs. George Leith, Mrs. Henry Redmond, Mrs. Charles Dillingham and Mrs. Hayes Brooks.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Mrs. Elon Huntington Hooker will give a luncheon on Jan. 3 at her town residence, 907 Fifth Avenue, to introduce her daughter, Miss Barbara Ferry Hooker. Miss Hooker is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hooker and is a sophomore at Vassar.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Grace are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter last Sunday at the St. Regis. This is their third daughter. Mrs. Grace was formerly Miss Elise W. Ladew.

Representative-elect and Mrs. W. Bourke Cockran, who have been staying at the Ritz-Carlton, will leave in a few days for Santa Barbara, to remain until March, when they will go to Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland F. Bacon of 635 Park Avenue entertained at dinner last evening, taking their guests later to the play. Richard Cleveland of Princeton, son of ex-President Cleveland, was among the guests.

Mrs. James Lincoln Ashley will entertain at tea on Saturday from 4 to 7 o'clock for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. De Forest Van Slyck, at her home, 52 East Seventy-third Street.

Mrs. Vincent Astor will open her house at 840 Fifth Avenue on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 14, for a talk to be given by the Rev. Dr. John R. Mott, who is to speak on impressions received during his recent journey in Europe.

Miss Edith Beatrice Candler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Candler, and Count Carlo Beuf, will be married tomorrow at the home of the bride's parents, 753 Fifth Avenue. The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Post.

Lord Leverhulme of London gave a small dinner last night at the Plaza.

Mr. and Mrs. Harman B. Vanderhoef and their son, H. B. Vanderhoef Jr., have come from Greenwich, Conn., and are at the Chatham.

Mrs. Robert Olyphant is giving a reception this afternoon at the Colony Club for her two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Robert M. Olyphant and Mrs. Donald Olyphant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thorn Kissel have come from their country place, October House, at Peapack, N. J., and are at the St. Regis to remain some time.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dickinson and Anthony J. Drexel Biddle Jr. were among those entertained at dinner last night at Delmonico's.

Mrs. William Astor Chanler entertained at dinner last night at her home, 141 East Nineteenth Street. Miss Ada Sassoli, the harpist, played.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gerard gave a dinner last evening at their residence, 1,015 Fifth Avenue.

OLD ENGLISH WARE, $23,607.

Set of Staffordshire Vase Leads Gilchrist Collection Sale.

There was a large gathering of collectors at the sale of beautiful English luster and other fine old eighteenth and nineteenth centuries ware, the collection of Robert Gilchrist of New York at the American Art Galleries yesterday afternoon. There were enthusiastic bidding and good prices. The 330 pieces brought $23,607. A set of three Staffordshire lustered ware vases of the eighteenth century, pear shaped, with mask handles and hat covers, the decoration in purple luster on white, brought the highest price, going to Seaman, Agent, for $675. They were 8¾ and 7½ inches high and delightfully graceful in shape and decorative.

H. O'Reilly, who is understood to be a buyer for W. R. Hearst, made many purchases at top prices. To O'Reilly went six Leeds silver resistware cups and saucers, with grape vine decoration, for $400; a pair of Leeds silver resist flower pots and stands for $380; a fine old silver resist pitcher, eighteenth century, 5½ inches high, the design a shooting scene, for $190, and a second, early nineteenth century, with scroll-leaved pattern, for $260; a third, eighteenth century, with hunting scene printed in blue, for $220; a Staffordshire lustered ware pitcher for $210. A quaint pair of Staffordshire resistware flower vases with fan-shaped bodies was bought by O'Reilly for $360; for a Staffordshire lustered pitcher, a hunting scene, the decorations in relief with a vine design and marbled purple luster, he paid $210, and $280 for a quatrefoil pear-shaped Staffordshire silver resist pitcher decorated in relief with flutings and a floral band.

A straight-sided pair of Staffordshire silver resist ware vases with scalloped edges went to I. B. Preston for $350, and the same buyer paid $120 for a Leeds ware silver resist eighteenth century teapot, pear-shaped, with zigzag twistings and floral decorations. R. A. Plimpton paid $120 for a Staffordshire silver resist teapot with birds printed in purple in medallions; $200 for the teapot, sugar and creamer of a French tea set invested with purple marbled lustre, and $280 for an early nineteenth century lustre ware pitcher with a railway scene printed in black.

F. J. Jones, a buying name for one of the collectors, bought a number of pitchers, paying $350 for one of Staffordshire silver resist printed in blue in a decorative hunting scene. A Staffordshire silver resist bowl with bands of leaves and scrolls and lines went to H. F. Dunter for $210. An old Chelsea porcelain "Goat and Bee" cream ewer, 4½ inches high, one of the few rare examples known to exist, and with the early "Triangle" mark of the Bow Factory, went to Seaman, agent, for $440, and to the same buyer went a pair of old Wedgwood lustred bell pulls of the eighteenth century for $425. A pair of Staffordshire lustred ware vases, crater shaped, decorated in Worcester style pavilions, ruins and landscapes, on a purple lustre ground, went to A. S. Vernay for $260.

MORE HAZING AT ST. JOHN'S.

Students Disregard Pledge, and Faculty Plans Action Today.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 7.—Discipline at St. John's College is again in a state of turmoil, it became known tonight. Hazing and other breaches of regulations have been uncovered despite the pledge to which the students subscribed upon their return a few weeks ago, following a general "walk out" of the cadet corps because of alleged "grievances" toward the Board of Governors and visitors.

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Dr. John V. Rippere, acting President of the college admitted the seriousness of the situation, but said no formal announcement would be made before tomorrow. Meanwhile the faculty has been in almost continuous session, in an effort to ferret out the offenders.

The report about the city, is that a number of members of the upper classes, engaged in a lark of the rats campus at the expense of one or more freshmen. The story has it that a freshman was ordered to the French memorial monument and there deliver a speech after which there was a "slatting bee."

It is also reported that several students, presumably freshmen, have left the institution during the last few days.

WANTS AMERICAN CHARTS.

Hydrographer Says We Depend on Foreign Navigation Guides.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The United States should not be subjected to the danger of having to rely on foreign countries for charts for American vessels, Rear Admiral Edward Simpson, hydrographer, says in his annual report today to Secretary Daniels. He recommends legislation to augment the staff in the hydrographer's office to remedy the present situation.

"With the present force this dangerous dependence on foreign charts in certain localities, notably Europe, Australia and the East Indies, will continue for forty years or more," the report asserts.

MAJOR COMPTON MILITARY SECRETARY

Governor-Elect Miller Announces Selection of Veteran of the World War.

SERVED WITH FRENCH CORPS

In Business as Bond Broker in Saratoga—Governor-Elect Argues Case in Court.

Governor-elect Miller appointed yesterday Major Ranulph Compton, a bond broker of Saratoga, as Military Secretary. Major Compton has a war record dating from 1916, when he served on the Mexican border with the Second New York Infantry. On April 11, 1917, he was assigned to active duty in instructing recruits, and on July 19 of the same year he was assigned to Company C of the Fifteenth New York Infantry, and sailed for France on Dec. 8.

Major Compton in March, 1918, was attached to the Fourth French Corps, and saw service in the Champagne. The following month he was transferred to the 311th Tank Centre, and in May was commissioned Captain of the United States Army Tank Corps, becoming Major in the same corps on April 10, 1919. He took part in the fighting in both the St. Mihiel and Argonne-Meuse operations. He was discharged from service on Aug. 11, 1919.

Governor-elect Miller had several callers during the day in the St. Regis Hotel, but said they had little political significance. The visitors included Controller James A. Wendell, Lafayette B. Gleason, Samuel S. Koenig, Thomas F. Fennell, former Public Service Commissioner; James T. Rogers of Binghamton, former Republican leader in the Assembly; John F. O'Brien of Plattsburg, Theodore Douglas Robinson and Dudley Field Malone.

During the day the Governor-elect went to Brooklyn and argued a case in the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court. He represented the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company in an appeal taken by it involving the settlement of an estate.

DOUBLES QUEENS FARE BY ZONE SYSTEM SPLIT

Barrett Divides Trolley Line Into Two Parts, With 5c Charge for Each.

An order signed yesterday by Public Service Commissioner Alfred M. Barrett permits the receivers of the Manhattan and Queens Traction Company to divide the route of its trolley line into two zones and charge 5 cents for a ride in each zone thus doubling the fare for long trip passengers. One zone is to extend from the Manhattan end of the Queensboro Bridge to Elmhurst and the second zone is from Elmhurst to Jamaica.

This result ends the agitation by the receivers, which began more than a year ago, for a higher fare. The application was for a 13-cent fare from Manhattan to Jamaica, but this was refused. The present fare of 8 cents for a ride over the bridge remains unchanged.

It is estimated that the increased fare will yield an additional $106,000 a year. The new rates become effective two days after the new schedule is filed with the commission. This means that they will probably become effective on Friday. It is provided in the order that the new rate will remain in force until the commission revokes it.

In his decision Commissioner Barrett stated that the hearings disclosed that the company has paid no dividends, that it owes the city for back taxes, that it has steadily lost money during the last two years and that a 5-cent fare was not sufficient to pay operating expenses and taxes, to say nothing of interest on the company's obligations.

LEADERS AT STETSON RITES.

Several Hundred, Including Root and Morgan, at Funeral.

The funeral of Francis Lynde Stetson was held yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Church of the Incarnation, 25 East Thirty-fifth Street. The chancel was decorated with palms and lilies and there were many floral offerings. The coffin was covered with orchids and lilies of the valley. The Rev. H. Percy Silver spoke, and Bishop Charles S. Burch, the Rev. Howard C. Robbins of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, the Rev. G. F. Taylor and Dr. Belden were among the officiating clergy.

"O Come, My Soul," the processional hymn, was followed by "Angel Voices Ever Singing" and "Hark, Hark My Soul." There were fourteen honorary pallbearers, including Elihu Root, John Pierpont Morgan, Charles MacVeagh, George Zabriskie, A. C. Chapin, Charles Steele, Melville E. Stone, Montgomery H. Clarkson, Justice E. H. Lacombe, Justice H. Galbraith Ward, Justice Francis M. Scott, Victor Morawetz, Colonel Samuel Colt, President of the United States Rubber Company, and Dr. Harry A. Garfield, President of Williams College.

Several hundred prominent men, including Frank L. Polk, former Acting Secretary of State; Ogden L. Mills, Hall Park McCullough, Justice Hough, Edmund Baylies, William Delano, V. Everit Macy, George H. Gardiner and Thomas Lamont, attended the funeral. The body will be taken to Williamstown tomorrow for burial.

Rev. Dr. Charles Girven Heckert.

Special to The New York Times.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Dec. 7.—The Rev. Dr. Charles Girven Heckert, President of Wittenberg College until last Summer, died today as a result of overwork. He was born in Northumberland, Pa., March 22, 1863. In 1886 he was graduated from Wittenberg College and later received his degree from Wittenberg Theological Seminary. He was ordained in the Lutheran ministry in 1889, and two years later became Principal of Wittenberg Academy. He was President of the Miami Synod since 1892, and he was one of the editors of The Lutheran World.

Rev. A. K. Lent, 'Molder Preacher.'

The Rev. Alexander K. Lent, known as the "Molder Preacher," died yesterday at his home, 1,430 Main Street, Peekskill. Every day for forty years he had molded the stoves in the Union Stove Works and every Sunday he had ministered to souls in the quaint little "Lily Pond" Church in Broad Street.

Self-taught, he was ordained in 1891 by the Wesleyan Methodist Conference of New York City. He was then 35 years old. He served without salary, and sometimes, when his church got into financial trouble, he would come to its assistance.

John H. Abegg Dead in Geneva.

John Henry Abegg, who was Secretary of the American Red Cross in Geneva, Switzerland, during the war, died in Geneva on last Saturday in his sixty-fourth year. He was a son of the late Henry Abegg of this city. Mr. Abegg was at one time President of the French branch of the Y. M. C. A. in New York. He was well known for his philanthropic activities and his interest in furthering the cause of education and art.

GEORGE STAPLES RICE DIES.

Former Chief Engineer of New York Rapid Transit Board Was 71.

George Staples Rice, a civil engineer, died yesterday at his residence in Montclair, N. J. He was 71 years old. He became identified with rapid transit construction in 1887 as chief engineer of the Boston Rapid Transit Company, and later, in 1904, he was chief engineer of the New York Rapid Transit Commission.

Mr. Rice spent several years prior to 1900 making studies for the subway project, and he not only served under the commission, but remained in his position of chief engineer under the Rapid Transit Board. During the construction of the dual system Mr. Rice was in charge of the tunnel division and sections of the work in Brooklyn.

When the so-called new Croton Aqueduct was placed under construction, Mr. Rice became deputy chief engineer of that enterprise, and remained on aqueduct construction until 1892. Since that time he had been identified with subway construction in this city.

Obituary Notes.

The Rev. JOHN JUSTIN, for 46 years pastor of the Columbia Street Reformed Church, at Union Hill, N. J., died on Monday in his eighty-first year. He was a graduate of Rutgers College.

PATRICK F. BRENNAN, who was connected with the passenger department of the N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad, died yesterday at Bellevue Hospital. He was 48 years old. Mr. Brennan was a brother of James M. Brennan, manager of the Plaza Hotel.

Mrs. MARIA ELIZABETH DEVINE, widow of Alexander Devine, a Civil War Veteran and railroad man, died on Sunday at her home, 840 Decatur Street, Brooklyn, aged 73 years. Mrs. Devine had been a resident of Brooklyn for forty-five years.

JOHN D. SMITH, a contractor, 54 years old, died yesterday at his home in Plainfield, N. J. He was born in Whitehouse, N. J.

PETRO SCHETTNI of St. Mary's Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., died in Muhlenberg Hospital Monday, as the result of having been gassed overseas. He left a widow, whom he married in France, and a son.

The Rev. PATRICK F. KELLY, Director of St. Vincent's Home for Boys, in Brooklyn, died at the home on Monday. Father Kelly was born in Brooklyn forty-six years ago, and was ordained nineteen years ago. He was for nine years curate of the Roman Catholic Church of St. John the Evangelist, in Brooklyn, and then became rector of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Joseph at Ronkonkoma, L. I. Bishop McDonnell appointed him Director of St. Vincent's Home five years ago.

GUSTAVE C. DROBEGG, a consulting chemist and a Director in several dye manufacturing companies, died in the Swedish Hospital on Monday in his sixtieth year. Mr. Drobegg had been connected with the firm of Charles Pfizer & Co. in Manhattan and Brooklyn for twenty-five years and was one of the most prominent men in the work of creating the American dye industry during the World War period. He was a native of Coblenz, Germany, and studied chemistry at the University of Munich. He lived at 179 Rutland Road, Flatbush, and belonged to the Chemists' Club of New York, the German-American Druggists Association, the Society of Chemical Industries.

Mrs. MARIA T. KIERNAN MURPHY, wife of Jeremiah B. Murphy, formerly superintendent of the Pure Oil Company of Brooklyn, died in St. Catharine's Hospital on Monday. Her husband has been a patient in the same hospital for the last seven weeks, suffering from a general breakdown.

Mrs. ELIZABETH O'BYRNE COONEY, 67 years old, widow of Patrick Cooney, a carpenter, died on Sunday, at her home, 195 Luquer Street, Brooklyn. She was an active member of the women's societies of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

Mrs. ZULA BANTON MOORE, wife of James I. Moore, a Manhattan lawyer, died of pneumonia on Sunday at her home, 294 Park Place, Brooklyn. She was born in Waco, Texas, where the funeral services and interment will take place.

CHARLES E. SCHNURR, 42 years old, in the gas and electric fixture business, died on Sunday at his home, 221 Covert Street, Brooklyn.

JAMES WALSH, formerly a battalion chief of the Brooklyn Fire Department, died yesterday in Hudson, N. Y., where he resided. He retired fifteen years ago. Mr. Walsh was an uncle of Magistrate John J. Walsh of Brooklyn.

Engaged.

WOHLMAN—KOPPEL—Mr. and Mrs. I. Koppel of 246 West 128th St., formerly of Norfolk, Va., announce the betrothal of their daughter Dorothy to Mr. Dave Wohlman. Reception at Wallace Hall, Sunday, Dec. 12, 3 to 6.

Married.

FINKELSTEIN—BASHWITZ—Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bashwitz announce the marriage of their daughter, Hattie, to Mr. Fred Finkelstein, on Dec. 7, at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel.

SCHERMERHORN—DITZLER—Tuesday, Dec. 7, at St. Stephen's Church, by the Rev. Dr. Nathan A. Seagle, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, Edward Gibert Schermerhorn and Charlotte Tiedemann Ditzler, daughter of the late Frederick Tiedemann.

SCHWEITZER—HORN—Mr. William Horn of 656 West 204th St. announces the marriage of his sister, Gertrude, to Mr. David D. Schweitzer, Dec. 6, 1920, by Dr. Grossman.

Died.

ABEGG—In Geneva, Switzerland, on Dec. 4, 1920, in his 64th year, J. H. Abegg, son of the late Henry Abegg of New York.

ALKUS—Suddenly, Isidor Alkus, beloved husband of Carrie and devoted father of Isaac Alkus and Eva Riesenburger. Funeral services at 44 Prospect Av., Flushing, L. I., on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1920, at 2 P. M. Interment at Salem Field.

ANDERSON—Mary Gibney, at her home, Croton-on-Hudson, Dec. 6, 1920. Funeral services at Catholic church, Croton, Thursday, 9:30 A. M.

BENDHEIM—On Dec. 7, at Mount Sinai Hospital, David, beloved husband of Marie (see Wile) and devoted father of Gertrude. Funeral from his late residence, 393 Central Park West, Thursday, Dec. 9, at 10 A. M.

BOOTH—On Monday, Dec. 6, 1920, Agnes M. Booth, widow of Samuel Booth and mother of Anna E. Biehn. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral Thursday, Dec. 9, at 9:30 A. M., from her late residence, 45 West 90th St., thence to St. John's Church, West 30th St., 7th and 8th Avs., where a solemn requiem mass will be read for the repose of her soul at 10 A. M.

BOPP—At Stamford, Conn., on Dec. 5, 1920, John H., in his 72d year. Funeral services will be held at 69 Richmond Av., Port Richmond, S. I., on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment Lutheran Cemetery.

BRENNAN—On Dec. 7, Patrick F. Brennan. Funeral from the Winterbottom Funeral Home, 597 Lexington Av., on Friday at convenience of family. Scranton and New Haven papers please copy.

BROMBERG—Jacob, on Dec. 7, husband of Miriam, father of Ivor, Samuel, Dorothy and Anna. Funeral from his late residence, 451 East 171st St., Bronx, at 12 o'clock noon, Dec. 9. Interment at Baron De Hirsch Cemetery, Staten Island, N. Y.

BURNETT—On Dec. 6, 1920, William J. Burnett, M. D., in his 78th year, beloved husband of Clara Frish. Funeral services at his late residence, Woodmere, L. I., Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 11 A. M. Train leaves Long Island City 9:42 A. M., Pennsylvania Station 9:50 A. M. Interment private.

CAMPBELL—At Bloomfield, N. J., on Sunday, Dec. 5, 1920, Kate Elma, wife of John H. Campbell. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 58 Willard Av., Bloomfield, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 2:30 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

CARHART—Suddenly, on Dec. 6, 1920, Leonard B., beloved husband of Florentine Carhart. Funeral services on Wednesday, 8 P. M., at his late residence, 1,983 Amsterdam Av. Interment Thursday at Keyport, N. J.

CHAMPION—On Sunday, Dec. 5, at the Hotel Chelsea, Caroline A. Champion, beloved wife of Charles Perry Champion, in her 72d year. Services the Funeral Church, Campbell Bldg., Broadway, 66th, Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10 A. M. Interment Kensico Cemetery.

CONANT—On Dec. 6, Mary F. Conant, in her 77th year. Funeral services at Chapel of the Home, 104th St. and Amsterdam Av., on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 11 A. M.

CRASTO—On Dec. 7, 1920, Rebecca L., daughter of the late M. E. and G. A. Crasto. Services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Thomas L. Daily, 35 Stockton Place, East Orange, N. J., Thursday morning, Dec. 9, at 10:30 o'clock. Interment at Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tarrytown, N. Y.

DODD—At Hartford, Conn., on Saturday, Dec. 4, 1920, Emilie Ball, wife of Frederic W. Dodd and daughter of James L. and Mary C. Ball. Funeral services will be held at the Home for Services, 160 Clinton Av., Newark, N. J., on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 2:30 P. M.

DROBEGG—Gustave C., Dec. 6, 1920, beloved husband of Annie Meyer, in his 60th year. Funeral services at his late residence, 179 Rutland Road, Brooklyn, at 8 P. M., Wednesday, Dec. 8.

FRANKLIN—Louis E., on Tuesday, Dec. 7, at his residence, 145 West 111th St., age 75, dearly beloved husband of Rosa (nee Hahn), devoted father of Benjamin, May Buttel, Hattie Wescler, Alfred, Jonas, Belle and Elias. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FREEDMAN—On Dec. 5, Lewis Herbert Freedman. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FULLARTON—Sarah M., wife of Morrell M. Fullarton, at the Presbyterian Hospital, on Tuesday, Dec. 7. Funeral private.

GOLDBERG—Rosalie, widow of Jacob Goldberg, on Monday, Dec. 6, in her 72d year. Funeral private.

GUNTHER—Frederick J., husband of Louise Gunther, on Tuesday, Dec. 7, at his residence, 388 East 5th St., Brooklyn, aged 65. Funeral private. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery, Thursday, Dec. 9.

GUNTHER—On Dec. 7, in his 78th year, Nathan, husband of the late Jeannette, and dearly beloved father of Rose Mosbacher. Funeral strictly private.

HALEY—At Brooklyn Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 6, 1920, Helen Collins, wife of P. J. Haley. Funeral services at St. Gregory's Church, Brooklyn Av. and St. John's Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., at 9:45 A. M. Thursday, Dec. 9, 1920. Interment Stamford, Conn.

HANNIGAN—On Tuesday evening, at her home, 1,212 Franklin Av., Bronx, Ella, beloved sister of Rose. Notice of funeral hereafter.

HARRISON—On Dec. 6, at Washington, D. C., James W. Harrison, aged 70 years. Funeral from the residence of his brother, L. Hitch Harrison, 8 St. Luke's Place, on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 1 P. M. Automobile cortege.

HAZZELL—Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 6, James Hazzell, beloved husband of Margaret E. Hazzell and son of the late James A. and Margaret Hazzell of St. Thomas, V. I. Funeral services at his late residence, 1,859 85th St., Bath Beach, on Thursday, Dec. 9, 2 P. M. Kindly omit flowers.

HAWKE—Suddenly, on Dec. 7, in this city, Henry S., husband of Anna Hawke. Services The Funeral Church, Broadway at 66th St., on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 3 P. M.

HILLS—In Washington, D. C., on Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, Helen Selmes Hills, wife of A. Stedman Hills. Funeral services in New York. Notice later.

JUSTIN—At 30 Fulton St., Clifton Park, Weehawken, N. J., Dec. 6, 1920, Rev. John Justin, in his 82d year. Funeral services at Clifton Park Chapel, Weehawken, on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 2 P. M.

KIERNAN—Monday, Dec. 6, 1920, Maria T. Kiernan, wife of Jeremiah B. Murphy Kiernan of 451 14th St., Brooklyn. Funeral and mass at St. Catherine's Hospital, Bushwick Av., Brooklyn, on Thursday at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary.

KITTS—On Dec. 6, 1920, at the residence of his father, William A. Kitts, Maywood, N. J., William Penn Kitts, Major U. S. A., retired. Services Wednesday evening, Dec. 8, at 7:30 o'clock. Interment at Arlington Cemetery, Washington, D. C.

KOHLER—On Tuesday, Dec. 7, in her 83d year, Nanette Kohler, relict of David, beloved mother of Joseph and the late Minnie Kronthal. Funeral service at Sam. Rothschild's chapel, 208 Lenox Av., at 120th St., Thursday, Dec. 9, at 2 P. M. Omit flowers.

LEVIN—After brief illness, in her 58th year, Rose, beloved wife of Jacob and beloved mother of Isaac, Leon, Fred, Harold, Helen, Mildred Kahan and Sarah Floden. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 1 P. M., from late residence, 100 West 119th. Interment at Rodeph Sholm, Salem Field.

LINDLEY—At Orange, N. J., Dec. 7, 1920, George Edward, husband of Nellie C. Lindley. Funeral services at Christ Church, Ansonia, Conn., on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 9, at 2 o'clock.

MACY—At Nantucket, Mass., on Dec. 1, suddenly, of pneumonia, Thomas Macy, son of the late Isaac and Ann Eliza Macy.

MANHEIMER—May P., on Dec. 7, 1920, beloved wife of Wallace A. Manheimer. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

MILLER—On Monday, Dec. 6, 1920, Mary Engel, beloved wife of Captain Frank L. Miller. Funeral service will be held at her late residence, 316 West 95th St., New York City, on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 8 P. M.

MUNROE—At Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Dec. 5, Henry Whitney, son of the late John and Marion Hall Munroe, in the 62d year of his age. Funeral at St. George's Church, Stuyvesant Square, Wednesday, Dec. 8, 10:30 A. M. Interment Lenox, Mass.

NELSON—On Tuesday, Dec. 7, Louis Nelson, beloved husband of the late Bertha, father of Lucille and Madeline. Funeral services at his late residence, 32 West 96th St., Thursday, Dec. 9, at 9:30 A. M.

PERKINS—On Dec. 7, 1920, at 2:27 A. M., Julius A. Perkins, husband of Marie, at his residence, 1,928 Loring Place, near 181st St. Funeral arrangements later.

PITSHKE—At Stamford, Conn., on Dec. 7, Minnie E., beloved wife of the late Judge William F. Pitshke, after a lingering illness, in her 62d year. Announcement of funeral later.

PRIDE—At Milton Academy, Dec. 5, Nathaniel Hart Pride, son of the late Rev. Edward W. and Charlotte F. Pride. Funeral services private. Please omit flowers. Date of memorial service at Milton Academy will be announced later.

REILLY—Rev. John B. Solemn anniversary mass, Thursday, Dec. 9, Church of St. Charles Borromeo, West 141st St., 10 A. M. Clergy, relatives and friends invited.

RIANHARD—At the Staten Island Hospital, Dec. 6, 1920, Jane Baldwin Rianhard, daughter of the late John V. L. and Adelaide Locke Rianhard. Funeral private.

RICE — At Montclair, N. J., Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, George Staples Rice, in his 72d year. Funeral services will be held at his late home, 35 Irving St., Montclair, Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 1:45 o'clock. Lackawanna train leaves Hoboken at 12:52 P. M. Interment in Mt. Auburn Cemetery, Boston, Thursday morning, 10 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

SCHOHN—On Monday, Dec. 6, Olga, in her 68th year, beloved wife of Godfry J. and devoted mother of Herman, Mitchel, Mrs. Daniel Lehman, Mrs. Ernst Newberger and Mrs. Frederick Hecker. Funeral services at her late residence, 550 West 157th St., Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10:30 A. M. Funeral private.

SILLCOX—On Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1920, Georgina W., daughter of Anna Ulmo Sillcox. Funeral services private. Please omit flowers.

SIMMONS—At Asheville, N. C., on Dec. 7, Theodore Hinman, son of Theodore and Clara H. Simmons of Cleveland and brother of Fielding Simmons of Baltimore. Funeral at Wade Memorial Chapel, Cleveland, Dec. 11, at 2 P. M.

STEDEKER—On Monday, Dec. 6, Emily Frank Stedeker, relict of Leon, at Brentwood, L. I. Funeral private.

TRAVIS—Caroline, age 93 years. Funeral from the Chapin Home, Jamaica, L. I., Thursday, 11 A. M.

WELLS—On Dec. 2, Louisa Trumbull, wife of the late Charles Bartlett Wells of Boston. Funeral from her late residence, 373 Beacon St., Boston, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 2 P. M.

WILLIAMS—At Greenport, Columbia County, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1920, Ida Williams. Automobile cortege to Woodlawn Cemetery, from Grand Central Station, on arrival of train 12:05, Wednesday afternoon.

WOOD—Suddenly, on Dec. 6, 1920, Walter J. Wood, aged 53 years. Funeral from his late residence, 107 Greenwood Av., East Orange, N. J., Thursday, Dec. 9, at 2:30 o'clock.

In Memoriam.

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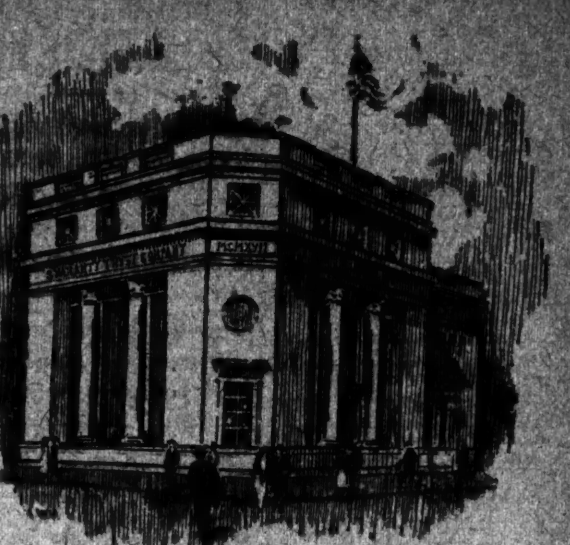

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THE MOSLEM WORLD TODAY
At this juncture when the Turkish Treaty is under discussion this question is of extreme importance, and is treated by a well-known scholar, Dr. Scheltema. One of 40 features in December CURRENT HISTORY MAGAZINE, on news stands, profusely illustrated.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Certificate No. B41323 for 2 shares Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, registered in the name of Leigh P. Gerard, and D17614 for 20 shares Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway common, registered in the name of Adolph G. Lotter. Finder please communicate with Paine, Webber & Co., 82 Devonshire St., Boston, Mass.

LOST—In 8th Av. bus at 42d St., a small lady's blue leather change purse, check for $17 to H. B., money and trinkets; $10 reward. Return, 101 Madison Av.

LOST—Between 2 and 4 Tuesday morning, Pennsylvania Station and Bronx, brown suitcase containing ladies' clothing; suitable reward. Dreitzwrit, 826 Kelly St., Bronx. Phone Intervale 956.

LOST—Lady's handbag (crochet and 8 sd.), Friday, Dec. 3; $2.0 reward and no questions asked if returned with gilt purse, lorgnette and other contents complete to 813 6th Av.

LOST—Black envelope purse, near 42d St., containing $27. Please return to Margaret Ward, 50 West 45th St.

LOST—Blue silk umbrella, silver handle, Sunday night, Lavatory, Long Island section Pennsylvania Station; reward. Flushing 1W.

LOST—Black walrus handbag, containing business papers; liberal reward for contents; no questions asked. Siebel, Franklin 3846.

LOST—Taken by mistake dressing room McAlpin Hotel, Saturday, blue beaded bag; reward. Gramercy 5189. Mrs. T., 1 Lexington Av.

LOST—1½ yards white hemmed crepe de chine, around 54th St. Wadsworth 5498.

AUTOMOBILE STOLEN.
REWARD.

Ford sedan, 1920, car number 4,393,700, license number unknown, aluminum run board, Lyons bumper, Delkor wheel, Hassler shock absorbers, stolen Dec. 5, Gallatin Place and Livingston St., Brooklyn. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Telephone Beekman 8097.

$1,000 REWARD.

LOST, SILK BAG IN TWENTIETH CENTURY TAXI FROM 50TH ST. AND BROADWAY TO 146TH ST., BETWEEN 6 AND 7 P. M. AUDUBON 9694.

$5 REWARD—Package photographs lost Bay Parkway L train between 1 and 2 P. M. Tuesday. Return 2,740 Harway Av., Gravesend Beach, Brooklyn.

Jewelry.

LOST—Diamond hawknot breastpin with black onyx line, in front of or at Ritz-Carlton Hotel, Garrick Theatre or West 74th St., Monday evening; suitable reward and no questions asked. Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, 76 Beaver.

SUBSTANTIAL REWARD

for return of platinum flexible bracelet set with 48 diamonds, lost Sunday, Dec. 5, between 68th St. and West End Av. and 57th St. and Broadway. Walton F. Haley, 100 William St., Beekman 9000.

LOST—Tuesday, vicinity J. Edman & Bros., 467 5th Av., and Hotel Belmont, platinum bar pin 2¾ inches long, 19 diamonds; very liberal reward if returned to Cashier, Hotel Belmont.

LOST—Jade and diamond drop earring, on the west side of Park Av., between 62d and 63d St., about 5:30 Tuesday afternoon. Suitable reward if returned to B. Zabriskie, 998 Park Av.

LOST—Last Sunday on Broadway or in Broadway subway, old-fashioned gold earrings, oblong, Pierceless fastener; reward. Teicher, 538 West 111th. Phone Cathedral 8421.

LOST—Bracelet, Saturday morning, between Grove St. station, East Orange, and West Wenth Bldg.; reward if returned to G. Z. M., 197 North Grove St., East Orange 5096M.

LOST—Monday, lady's gold wrist watch, initials G. L., in neighborhood 5th and 6th Avs., 54th and 60th Sts.; reward. Phone Clark, Vanderbilt 7805.

LOST—On Dec. 6, in ladies' department of Altman's or McCreery's, sapphire ring set with diamonds, octagonal shape. Reward. Mrs. L. M. Simonds, 20 West 8th St.

LOST—Gold wedding ring, Dec. 7, between 4th and 42d Sts., near or on 5th Av. Finder please return to George Kremer, 3 West 35. Reward $25.

LOST—Reward $100, chamois bag, containing 4 pieces of jewelry, two ten-dollar bills. John 3280 for identification. Crowley.

LOST—Diamond ring, Monday, between 50th St. and Times Square subway station; reward. Madsen, 233 Court St., Brooklyn.

LOST—Platinum lorgnette on diamond slide on ribbon; suitable reward. Greenbaum, 1 West 92d St. Phone Riverside 5819.

LOST—Lady's gold mesh bag, containing gold pencil bracelet and cash, in Hudson Theatre; liberal reward. F 574 Times.

LOST—Platinum harpu, diamond in centre. Liberal reward. Phone Plaza 6924. 5 East 54th St.

LOST—Gold ring, 13 diamonds, Cabochon ruby. Return to office, 12 West 44th St., and receive reward. Mr. Barron.

LOST—Opal and pearl necklace between 50th and 8th Av. and East 53d St. Reward. Tel. Boulevard 6170.

LOST—Two-carat diamond ring, vicinity of 38th St. and Broadway, Sunday evening; liberal reward. Phone 6083 Columbus.

LOST—Diamond and platinum wrist watch, between Ritz-Carlton and 54th St. Phone Plaza 6924, 5 East 54th St. Liberal reward.

LOST—Diamond and platinum wedding ring; diamond set in square. Liberal reward. Phone Plaza 6924, 5 East 54th St.

LOST—A silver meshbag, 34 Broadway, 5:30 P. M.; reward. Mrs. J. Hill, 971 Kelly St., Bronx.

LOST—Safford, a wishbone tie pin; reward. John Fast. Phone Rhinelander 7267.

LOST—Small pearl necklace, West 43d, 8th. Reward. Mayer, 109 West 90th.

$2,500 REWARD.

Lost in taxicab, 7 to 8 carat diamond, Tiffany setting, platinum ring, small diamonds in shank; 3¼-carat, similar setting; two bracelets and platinum and diamond wrist watch; no questions; communications confidential; I represent an insurance company. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Telephone Beekman 8097.

$100 REWARD.

Lost, a gold vanity case, Cartier, probably last Dec. 3 in vicinity of Vanderbilt Hotel. Communicate with E. B. Hopwood, 55 John St., New York City. Telephone Beekman 8097.

$250 REWARD, no questions asked, for return of straight platinum bar pin containing 44 diamonds; lost evening of Nov. 30, probably in taxi from Hotel Biltmore to Maxine Elliott's Theatre, Bechet & Barclay, Suite 60-61, 542 5th Av.

REWARD

$500 for return of or any information leading to the recovery of jewelry stolen from the home of Oakleigh Thorne, Millbrook, N. Y. Address W 825 Times Downtown.

$1,200 REWARD

for return of platinum bracelet containing about 32 diamonds lost Dec. 6th between 58th and 63d Sts. Marcus & Co., 5th Av. and 45th St.

$75 REWARD

for return of veil pin, two rows of diamonds and one of onyx, last Nov. 27, vicinity of East 43th St. L. H. & B. H. Wunderly, 665 5th Av.

$800 REWARD for small gold mesh purse, with lace handkerchief, powder puff and platinum lorgnette, lost Nov. 25, vicinity Madison Av. 42d St., Tiffany & Co., 5th Av. and 37th St.

$75 REWARD

for return of man's gold wrist watch, lost Dec. 1, between West 110th and 93d Sts., B'way & 8th av. or Frost, 5th Av. and 40th St.

$75 REWARD

for return of pearl and jade scarf pin last Nov. 26, vicinity of Commodore Hotel. Quait & Ballou, 574 5th Av.

Wearing Apparel.

LOST—Black muff, Friday afternoon, in Summit train arriving Hoboken 4:25. Please leave in 131 8th Av., Brooklyn, and receive reward.

LOST—Squirrel scarf on Saturday afternoon in taxi from Plaza Hotel; reward. Return to Hawkins, 320 West 95th St.

LOST—One side mink fur, Sunday afternoon; reward. Return to Miss Randall, Apartment 9E, 411 West End Av.

LOST—Other animal neck scarf, vicinity 86th St. and Amsterdam Av.; reward. Return to Welling, 160 West 86th.

LOST—Pointed fox scarf, Sunday, Audubon Theatre. Reward: O'Keefe, 192 East 164th.

Cats and Dogs.

LOST—A light weight Airedale with smooth brown face and black wooly coat; wandered Tuesday from 36 West 75th St.; suitable reward. Siter.

LOST—Neighborhood East 10th St., Monday evening, small female Pekinese, light brown, black face; $100 reward. Chanler, 247 East 10th.

$100 REWARD.

LOST—Police dog, dark brown, wearing tan leather collar; answers name of Carl. Return to 416 West 34th. Tel. one Plaza 342.

Found.

FOUND—Sum of money near Hunts Point Station, 3c Windsor Place, Pelham Manor.

Settlement of the Fiume Question.

Rapallo, the important city where the Fiume question was settled, is pictured in this week's MID-WEEK PICTORIAL, in an interesting etching; also the actual signing of the declaration of peace between Italy and Jugoslavia. There are seventy-nine etchings in this issue—world news—including a fourth 24-hite-page section, ready for a feature of the Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers. On news stands today; 10 cents.—Adv.

'GAGGED' PASTOR OUT OF LECTURE BUREAU

Director Crandall Accepts Resignation of Dr. William Carter of Brooklyn.

CLERGYMAN IS CRITICISED

Letter to Trend of Times Lecturers Written as Suggestion Merely to Prevent Indiscretion.

Ernest L. Crandall, Director of the Bureau of Public Lectures of the Board of Education, yesterday accepted the resignation of the Rev. Dr. William Carter of the Throop Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn. The clergyman had charged the board with attempting to put a gag on free speech.

Mr. Crandall wrote Dr. Carter, acknowledging receipt of the resignation, and expressing regret that Dr. Carter did not "possess sufficient delicacy and consideration" to take the matter up with him before "rushing into print."

Mr. Crandall denied his circular letter, addressed to The Trend of the Times lecturers, was aimed at Dr. Carter, as the latter assumed.

"There has been slight friction in some other centres," Mr. Crandall explained, "particularly on the Irish question, and I felt that the members of The Trend of the Times faculty should not and would not resent a suggestion that might come in time to prevent just such an indiscretion as you committed in referring to a certain element in our population as 'the offscourings of Judaism' or 'the offscourings of Europe,' or whatever you did say.

"The essential point of difference between you and me seems to be that you apparently regard the right of free speech as involving the right to use bad judgment. There are plenty of subjects, and controversial subjects, which we can discuss without wounding anybody's sensibilities. As I said to you at the hearing at the Erasmus Hall episode, I am afraid you cannot quite distinguish between 'treading on people's corns,' as you call it, and trampling on human hearts.

"The suggestion in my letter that we should be mindful of the adage, 'Meat for strong men, but milk for babes,' does not imply that either the Jews or the Irish or any other group of our cosmopolitan people are infants. It does imply that there is a state of mind bordering on hysteria in large sections of the public today on certain questions affecting these groups.

"Whenever such hysteria manifests itself it is an evidence that the public mind is in a state of very delicate equilibrium, and is liable to be very easily, even unreasonably, inflamed. At such times a prudent man will be cautious in what he says. It is useless to prolong the discussion, and I do not feel called upon to answer at any greater length the specious and facetious argumentation with which your letter is filled.

"The fact is that as a lecturer, acting under my direction and in co-operation with a dignified body of men and women, you resent suggestions. For my letter of Dec. 2 was neither a command nor even a request, but merely a piece of friendly advice. You call this being gagged. I trust and I feel quite sure that your colleagues on the faculty of The Trend of the Times will not agree with you."

JAPAN'S LOSSES IN SIBERIA.

1,437 Men Killed in Action and 1,522 Wounded to Date.

TOKIO, Dec. 7.—Casualties among the Japanese troops in the Siberian fighting to date include 1,437 men killed in action and 586 deaths from sickness, according to an announcement made by the War Office today. The records show 1,522 wounded in action.

GOVERNOR COOLIDGE VOTES

Applauded, With Wife, as They Enter Northampton Polling Place.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 7.—Governor Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge came here today to vote in the city election. They were applauded as they entered the polling place to cast their ballots.

F. F. Guilford, election officer, asked Mrs. Coolidge whether she had found a residence in Washington.

"I've no doubt we shall find some little corner," she replied, "but it will not be any better than Northampton."

The Governor returned to Boston later in the day. Mrs. Coolidge will remain at her home here for a few days.

HEADS DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

Charles B. Alexander Succeeds John M. Riehle as President.

Charles B. Alexander, a member of the State Board of Regents, was unanimously elected President of the National Democratic Club at its annual meeting last night in the clubhouse, 617 Fifth Avenue. Mr. Alexander, who was First Vice President, succeeds John M. Riehle, President for the last six years, who was elected a member of the Board of Governors. Other officers were elected as follows:

Leslie J. Tompkins, First Vice President; Edward G. Murray, Second Vice President; William A. Dalton, Treasurer; Walter C. Dunnington Jr., Secretary; John F. Dee, Corresponding Secretary; James W. Gerard, Thomas E. Rush, David E. Weil, Washington L. Jaques Jr., Louis E. La Tour and Louis H. Moos, members of the Board of Governors.

Young Democrats Indorse Kernochan

The New York Young Democratic Club has indorsed Justice Frederic Kernochan of Special Sessions for promotion to the Court of General Sessions to fill the vacancy arising from the death of Justice Malone. Resolutions to this effect adopted by the organization Monday night, were forwarded to Governor Smith.

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With this momentum achieved so that his organization could keep it up, this man moved on to one of the biggest executive positions in the automotive world. He had over 1,000 men under him. In this job he was eminently successful—he has the habit of success.

He resigned when the war called for men of his calibre, and he served in the War Department with conspicuous success. Moreover, he stuck by until just now in order to help close up the War undertakings properly.

Have you something hard for a real he-executive like this to accomplish? Do you want to inject into your problem the habit of success? Do you want a man who doesn't care so much about the salary as he does that the opportunity for new profits be big enough to leave him a generous slice with profit to you? Then write at once; give an outline of your proposition and ask for any particulars you want. Address Room 800, 141 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Has Business Reached its Lowest Level?

Business depressions are invariably followed by upward reactions. No one knows just when the present tide will turn, but the indications are that during 1921 the trend will be upwards. The time to plan for expansion is NOW before the upswing starts.

BUSINESS drifts only as long as business men surrender to the thought of prolonged depression.

There are actually no grounds for such surrender.

The turn for better business, moreover, cannot be very far away. A study of conditions for 1921 indicates a business revival.

The turn may come a month from now, three months from now, or six months from now. The actual date, however, is quite unimportant. It is enough to know that the turn is coming and that the time to plan for better business is before the upswing starts.

* * *

There are still some business men who plan in the same way that the public deals in the stock market—they buy at the peak. A few buy while prices are still coming down and just before a bull market.

In the same way the astute business house plans expansion—before the business curve begins to rise.

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In the crisis of 1907, for example, a roofing concern more than trebled its advertising effort while competitors ceased advertising altogether. This company planned expansion before the upswing started and today they are one of the dominating factors in their field.

Conditions Which Point Toward Business Revival in 1921

Bountiful crops and a satisfactory buying power on the part of agriculturists.

Stronger position of capital and credit with the banking situation in hand and easier money in sight.

A more plentiful supply and a greater productiveness on the part of labor.

Improvements promised for all transportation systems.

Fair prospects for satisfactory foreign trade.

A political situation tending towards the stabilizing of business undertakings.

In the present crisis, a manufacturer of chewing gum has already multiplied his normal advertising effort. He will continue to obtain the greater share of a business which amounts to some $60,000,000 per annum.

* * *

We are not, however, arguing for increased advertising at this time. We are not even suggesting that you start to advertise (if you have never advertised before). But we do suggest that you start to plan your advertising now—at once.

To draw up advertising plans today does not mean that you must start your advertising tomorrow. It merely means PREPAREDNESS.

It means that while others are still planning, you will be ready to launch a fully planned campaign on the stroke of the critical hour.

This is sound business sense. It takes time to plan well and wisely. Get this preliminary planning out of the way and hold yourself in readiness to ACT.

* * *

The first step in your planning is, of course, to form connections with the proper advertising agency—the agency which through experience and organization is best equipped to render the most practical assistance to your company.

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POET DEFIES GOVERNMENT

"Whoever Enters Fiume Will Do So Over My Blood-Stained Corpse."

OUTBREAK AT ZARA FEARED

Royal Guards Dispatched to Maintain Order Among Resentful Italain Population.

FIUME, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—The fleet of Gabriele d'Annunzio has been increased by another torpedoboat destroyer. Yesterday evening the destroyer Bronzetti, which had been stationed off Cherso as part of the blockading fleet, steamed into Fiume and placed itself under the poet's command.

The arrival of the war craft surprised the d'Annunzio harbor patrol, who thought it was the advance guard of another naval demonstration. The destroyer entered through the narrow channel which is the only inlet and outlet to the harbor that is not obstructed by mines or barricades, and saluted the city while the marines shouted "Viva!" The vessel soon dropped anchor, and the poet's naval commander in chief, Catracane, boarded her and felicitated the crew, which disembarked and marched to the palace where d'Annunzio resides.

The poet received the sailors and delivered a speech to them. The crew then swore that thy would serve d'Annunzio. The poet's speech was a most vehement one. Frequently it was interrupted by cheering from the legionaries and shouts of "Let us go to Rome! Let us go to Spalato!" The poet again called Admiral Millo a traitor. Deputy Bareso, who was present, urged the members of the crew to remain loyal to the Government. The men, however, would not listen to him. The officers of the destroyer demanded that they be set free, insisting that they always received their orders from the Government at Rome. The members of the crew are virtually all new recruits from Calabria and Sicily.

TRIESTE, Dec. 6 (Associated Press).—The "state of war" between the Regency of Quarnero at Fiume and Italy will not proceed, according to an official statement given out by the headquarters of Gabriele d'Annunzio today. The statement says this decision was reached because d'Annunzio received a note from the Italian Ministry of War stating that General Caviglia's order, which brought about the poet-soldier's declaration of a state of war with Italy, did not have the character of an ultimatum.

Members of the special commission of Italian Deputies which has interviewed d'Annunzio in Fiume left for Rome tonight. Before departing they gave out a statement in which they said that they had been received affably by d'Annunzio, and that he said clearly that it was possible to find a solution of the situation. Some of the Deputies said in conversation that they had hopes that an agreement could be reached.

Poet Makes Deputies Wait Seven Hours.

To observers the reception given by d'Annunzio to the visiting Deputies did not seem at all friendly. In fact, his coldness and unconcern appeared marked. His program for the day was not altered by their presence. Busy with his own affairs, he kept the delegation waiting seven hours before he took time to talk to it, a committee of Dalmatian [illegible] being received ahead of the Deputies from Rome.

The delegation arrived in Fiume at 10 o'clock Sunday and was immediately driven to the Palace, but there was no stir aroused by its arrival. The usual formalities were observed, and there was the customary explanation of the visitors' business to subordinates, just as if the Deputies had been ordinary callers.

One of d'Annunzio's aids finally met the delegation and told it d'Annunzio had not been advised that the Deputies were coming. They were informed that he was busy, and it was suggested that they communicate with one of d'Annunzio's assistants, who entertained them for hours with an exposition of the unchangeable attitude of d'Annunzio on the treaty question.

To add to the effect of their unceremonious reception, the Official Journal came out with an announcement of their arrival, coupled with the statement that their visit was too late.

"The Parliamentary committee," said the article, "is composed of Deputies a part of whom voted for the treaty of Rapallo and a part of whom condemned it. They have come to Fiume to examine the situation and suggest the right course to the Government. This intervention, we regret to say, is rather late. Its lateness is still further emphasized by the fact that many persons are now going out of their way to show that the treaty is already an accomplished fact. In what manner, therefore, can this intervention change the situation?"

It was 5 o'clock before d'Annunzio consented to receive the delegation. To the delegates personally he was affable and courteous, but, despite his politeness, he gave no encouragement whatever in the direction of a settlement of the question. He asked some of the Deputies their views, and, after explaining that his audiences for the day were to last another three hours, he dismissed the delegation.

Meanwhile, a demonstration was in progress in a local theatre, voicing demands for annexation to Italy. There were appropriate speeches in which the treaty and its supporters were condemned. The demonstrators then formed a parade and marched to the Palace, where they cheered d'Annunzio wildly and called him out on the balcony.

All this demonstration was staged just at the time d'Annunzio had dismissed the Deputies, whom he passed in the reception hall on his way to receive the demonstrators. As he did so he gave the Deputies a formal, cold nod. During the demonstration they lingered like uninvited guests.

From the balcony d'Annunzio greeted the cheering crowd, bowing, saluting, smiling and waving to the throng, and then addressing them.

Annexation Only, Says d'Annunzio.

"Today," he said, "the sky is heavy with threats. Our hearts throb. There is no sun above. Harsh words, indignation, pain, rage, permeate our deepest souls. We feel that Fiume will be saved only by annexation pure and simple. We desire annexation to Italy. Recognition of the Italian Regency of Quarnero will mean exactly the same thing as annexation. The day after that recognition I will call you to this balcony and again confirm your desire for annexation."

In the course of his speech d'Annunzio said Admiral Millo had broken his word to the Dalmatians, who were crying for help, but that he (d'Annunzio) would remain and "fling his bleeding body between Italy and Fiume."

D'Annunzio made this statement in the course of his talk with the Deputies:

"Today, after fifteen months of martyrdom, I am treated as a traitor by the mother country, while my obstinate resistance is a sacred national duty, as was the occupation of Fiume in September, 1919. Acknowledgment of the Regency of Quarnero is indispensable, but if it is impossible to obtain it I will resist. I swear on my honor as a soldier and as an Italian that in that case whoever enters Fiume will do so over my blood-stained corpse."

It was pointed out here today that acknowledgment of the Regency of Quarnero is not so easy as it would appear at first sight, being an act of an international character, which Italy cannot accomplish without a previous understanding with the other countries, and especially with the Allies.

Suggested Basis of Settlement.

ROME, Dec. 7.—Detachments of d'Annunzio's volunteers have been landed at Zara, on the Dalmatian coast, according to a report from Ancona published in the Idea Nazionale.

The evacuation of Dalmatian territory by Italian troops has already been begun, the report adds. The garrisons which occupied Verpoglie and Christagne have returned to Zara, while the carabinieri at Neveglie and Obrovazzo have been ordered to keep themselves in readiness to deliver their posts to Jugoslav gendarmes.

Yesterday's newspapers gave the following as the basis of the Fiume settlement which they expected:

1. The Italian Regency of Quarnero shall be officially recognized.
2. Italy, the Quarnero Regency and Jugoslavia will discuss delimitation of the eastern frontier of the regency, acknowledging as a technical necessity that Porto Baross and [illegible] of the river be included in the new State.
3. Evacuation of the islands of Veglia and Arbe by d'Annunzio's troops, as their annexation to Fiume would give a preponderance of Slavs in the new State; the nationality of the Italians [illegible] to be fully guaranteed and protected. Close commercial relations are to be maintained between Fiume and those islands; both Fiume and the islands giving full commercial guarantees, with customs exemption to Jugoslav traffic through Porto Baross.

Cabinet Considers Poet's Proposal.

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MILAN, Dec. 7.—The Giolitti Cabinet is favorably considering a conciliatory memorial forwarded through General Caviglia from d'Annunzio. The latter offers to withdraw his troops from the Islands of Albe and Veglia and his land forces within the limits marked out in the Treaty of Rapallo on the indispensable condition that the Italian Government gives full official recognition to the Italian Regency of Quarnaro.

Thus the Adriatic question again assumes an international aspect, necessitating a prior agreement at least with the Allies. But as Count Sforza is understood to have discussed this possibility already with both the French and British Premiers, the Rome Cabinet is awaiting his return tomorrow to confer on the subject and resolve all secondary questions connected with it.

The latest messages from the capital state that this solution of the thorny problem is looked upon generally in political circles as a proper and probable one.

Fears of Outbreak at Zara.

ANCONA, Italy, Dec. 6.—Royal Guards to the number of 500 and many carabinieri have been dispatched to Zara, Dalmatia, where the situation is grave owing to the resentment of the population at what is termed the abandonment of Dalmatia by Italy.

Dispatches from Zara today say that the most energetic measures are being adopted to maintain order and prevent incidents which might create trouble with Jugoslavia.

The Governor of Zara has prohibited meetings called for the purpose of refusing annexation to Italy and proclaiming annexation to the new State of Fiume.

The Governor's palace, where for more than two years the people have gathered to acclaim Italy, is now guarded by armored cars and troops. Reports from the interior of Zara province say that entire villages are migrating rather than risk Jugoslav reprisals.

Would Compel Filipinos To Wear Trousers in Public

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MANILA, Dec. 7.—A bill introduced in the Philippine Territorial Senate will make it obligatory for the inhabitants of the islands to wear trousers in public under penalty of five years' imprisonment.

Senator Santos, the father of the measure, in a statement declared:

"The appearance of half-naked pagans is a most shameful exhibition, and is capitalized by the opponents of Philippine independence as demonstrating the incapacity of the Filipinos for self-government."

The bill provides that the Government shall buy trousers at wholesale and distribute them free.

FRANCE'S HOLD ON GREECE.

She Can Refuse Promised Loan, but England Has Advanced Half of Hers

By WALTER DURANTY.

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PARIS, Dec. 7.—The Greek Legation here states that Constantine has been recalled as King of Greece by an enormous majority.

In the face of this result the French suggestion that Sunday's plebiscite had been "fixed" by the Royalist Party and did not represent the real wishes of the Greek people, cannot stand against the evident fact that the Greeks wanted Constantine and were determined to have him whether the Allies liked it or not.

A surprising feature of the situation here is that a large section of the press still speaks of Premier Leygues's "diplomatic victory" in London. In point of fact, M. Leygues went to London to obtain two things: first, an allied vote against Constantine; second, the revision of the Treaty of Sèvres. He got neither. Although a Havas Agency statement issued on the eve of the Premier's return declared that the Greeks had been notified that all financial support by the Allies would be immediately withdrawn in the event of Constantine's again ascending the throne, it is now stated that before taking a definite decision the French and British Governments will have a further consultation about a week hence, when they hope to get a clearer view of the leading factors of the Greco-Turkish problem.

Actually of the funds—several million sterling each—earmarked by France and Great Britain for the financial support of Greece more than half the English sum has already been transmitted to Athens during the Venizelist régime, whereas the French sum is still intact. This is really the only trump in the hand of the French Government. It can refuse it to Constantine, and it has done so. England was not associated in this action, but did join the French in forbidding the Greek Government to issue a new internal loan of 200,000,000 drachmas, for which the sums above mentioned were intended as a guarantee—just as they had already been for the first slice of the loan, also of 200,000,000, issued by Venizelos.

Bitterly as the Temps editorial replies tonight to the long and elaborate interviews of apology and explanation from Constantine published by the leading French papers this morning, it will be hard for the French to impress upon the British at the forthcoming conference their point of view, that the Greeks have not the right to choose their own King, or that the Turkish treaty should be torn up in consequence.

French diplomacy has singularly ignored a factor of the situation which is not forgotten in England—or America, either, for that matter—namely, that the Allies said very loud and often during the great war that they were fighting for the right of the small peoples to govern themselves, and that the territory in Asia Minor taken from Turkey was allotted to Greece, not as a personal favor to Venizelos, nor to preserve arbitrarily the balance of power in Asia Minor, but because ethnically, historically and morally the rights of Greece to its possession predominated over those of Turkey.

LOCATE CLARA SMITH IN MEXICAN TOWN

Attorneys Advise Accused Woman to Return, and Expect Surrender in 24 Hours.

TEXAS SHERIFF ON TRAIL

Wires Oklahoma Officials to Send Men to El Paso—Papers Stolen From Mrs. Hamon.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 7.—Sheriff Orndorff of El Paso today sent the following telegram to Sheriff Garrett at Ardmore, Okla.:

"Have reliable information that Clara Smith is in a Mexican town near the border. It will cost some money to get her across. Can you send a man down here?"

Chief Deputy Sheriff Bryant said he had almost positive information that the woman was in Mexico, but that his office was bound not to tell the source of information or the town where she was.

"I have had correspondence with the Ardmore Sheriff, and told him I was almost certain that the girl was across the line and asked him for help," Bryant said.

The Deputy said divulging the information depended on the action Ardmore authorities took.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 7.—After a conference here today between attorneys and the father of Clara Smith Hamon, announcement was made that the lawyers had advised the woman to surrender to officials, and it was added that surrender within twenty-four hours was expected. She is said to be in a town in Mexico near El Paso, and arrangements for her return to the United States have been made.

ARDMORE, Okla., Dec. 7.—County Attorney Russell R. Brown tonight said Sheriff Garrett had shown him a telegram, ostensibly from Sheriff Orndorff at El Paso, saying that Clara Smith Hamon was believed to be in a Mexican border town. Mr. Brown said he and Sheriff Garrett will discuss tonight or tomorrow the suggestion of Sheriff Orndorff that the Sheriff here send a man or men to El Paso.

The County Attorney said he was "very sorry" that Sheriff Orndorff's message had been given "premature publication." He said it might seriously injure or render impossible the chances of having the woman returned to Ardmore should she prove to be the one under surveillance in the Mexican town.

He said he had telegraphed to the District Attorney of Bexar County, requesting that official to take entire charge of the investigation of a statement alleged to have been made by P. M. Ross, a San Antonio reporter, that he knew the whereabouts of Miss Smith and was prepared to make them known under certain conditions. Mr. Brown indicated that he placed little credence in the Ross statement.

There was delivered to Mr. Brown today a suit of clothes taken from the private offices of Mr. Hamon. The suit was sent by Frank L. Ketch, business manager for the slain oil man, in response to a request from Mr. Brown that the clothing Hamon wore at the time he was shot be turned over to the County Attorney.

Mr. Brown announced that Dr. Walter Hardy, director of the private sanitarium where Mr. Hamon died, and who treated him for his wound, had informed the County Attorney that Clara Smith Hamon had visited Hamon at the hospital the day after the shooting. Dr. Hardy was quoted as saying that he knew very little about the interview, adding that the nurse who was on duty left the room while the visitor was there.

The County Attorney also announced that he had been consulted in regard to the calling of a Grand Jury to investigate the shooting and that a petition for calling the Grand Jury was being circulated. State laws provide that when such a petition, signed by fifteen qualified voters, is filed with him the District Judge may call the Grand Jury. Mr. Brown said he would be "very glad to assist should the petition be filed."

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 7.—A letter addressed to Miss Claire Hamon, general delivery, San Antonio, from Tampico, Mexico, was received at the local post office, according to a post office official. The letter bore return address as follows:

"H. O. Burkhardt,
"Apalto, 406, Tampico, Mexico."

Inquiry at the general delivery window elicited the information that a woman who wore neat clothes had been calling for mail at the San Antonio post office for the last ten days. She did not visit the office yesterday or today, according to an employe.

P. M. Ross, a local newspaper man, who last night sent out dispatches from here saying that he had conversed near San Antonio with Miss Clara Smith Hamon, was arrested by the police early today, examined for an hour and released.

Ross was detained at the request of Russell B. Brown, County Attorney of Ardmore, who asked that his story be investigated and that Ross be held as a material witness if necessary. The reporter was quizzed closely as to his alleged statements that he had met the woman after her motor car had broken down near San Antonio, and that she had made a statement. Ross claimed he had known her for years.

At the end of the conference, Captain James Duncan of the police stated that he was inclined to doubt Ross's story.

The story told by Ross of what the woman said, according to the police, followed somewhat her statements to E. W. Sallis of Dallas, the chauffeur who drove her from Dallas to Cisco. Ross, who is an employe of the San Antonio News, said he had heard in a hotel lobby last Saturday that Clara Smith Hamon was in San Antonio and that, through acquaintance during his previous employment in Oklahoma, he recognized her.

While a companion fixed two flat tires on her automobile, Ross said, he took her to a nearby farmhouse and there, he said, she told him she had killed Hamon. According to Ross, she declared she was willing to face any just judge or any jury of women.

The newspaper on which Ross is employed as a reporter did not print today in its noon edition the dispatches Ross sent out last night over a press wire.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Four unidentified men forced an entrance last night into an apartment building here where the widow of the late Jake L. Hamon lives. They seized a quantity of personal papers and seventy-five letters received for Mrs. Hamon during her absence at Ardmore, Okla. They took nothing else. Charles Wilms, janitor of the building, had the letters and papers in his apartment, which is across the hall. Actions of the men indicated the seizure had been carefully planned, police said.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 7.—"I don't believe my apartment in Chicago was robbed," said Mrs. Jake L. Hamon, while here today on her way to the West Texas oil fields and railroad properties of the Hamon estate.

"That story is another invention of the imagination, probably of some newspaper reporter, just like the story about Clara Smith's diary. I don't believe my letters were stolen."

In so far as the moral actions of her husband and his relations with Clara Smith Hamon were concerned, no such person existed, declared the widow. The woman had nothing to do with Hamon's death, and had not cast a shadow over her life, Mrs. Hamon said.

Vienna Mob in Strike Demonstration Wrecks General's Car, Wounds His Wife

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VIENNA, Dec. 6.—Demonstrations took place today in Vienna owing to rising food prices. Striking metal workers attacked passing automobiles. One car, belonging to General Hallier, Chief of the French Military Mission, was demolished by the mob, and the General's wife was wounded.

The renowned Vienna collection of Gobelins, formerly the property of the imperial house, is to be mortgaged to a Dutch financial concern by the Austrian Government to obtain 60,000 tons of American grain products for Vienna.

Financially the Austrian Government has only enormous deficits to govern, but today it has practically no officials wherewith to do it. The middle grade of civil servants today entered upon a strike, the effects of which are already great and may impose considerable hardships on the public if the strike is persisted in.

The Treasury is badly held up, and pickets have been posted at the entrance. Cash transactions and bookkeeping are impossible, and even pensions can no longer be paid. The customs officials are also included among the strikers. These have agreed, however, to carry on where travelers and their hand luggage are concerned, as also food; but otherwise all goods must lie at frontier stations or the principal customs office until the strike is ended.

Stamp and tax offices are likewise closed, while the traveling public is further inconvenienced by the closing of the passport and visé office, which makes necessary a long stay in Vienna.

For their more immediate comfort the Viennese are concerned at the closing of the National State Lottery office and at the necessary witholding of the tobacco ration cards. This latter trouble, however, can easily be surmounted as every one nowadays buys his cigarettes from hotel porters, waiters and other unexpected dealers in contraband articles.

There is a possibility that the strike will spread to other grades of civil servants. It is not for higher salaries—at least not directly—but seems to be an attempt by the members of the middle class to retain some of their pretensions to middle class well-being.

10-CENT FARE ASKED BY JERSEY TROLLEYS

Application for Increase from 7 Cents Filed with Public Utility Board.

LINES SERVE 126 VILLAGES

State Officials to Withhold Action—Gillen Says He Will Fight Any Raise.

Application for an increase of fare on the trolley lines of the Public Service Railway Company of New Jersey from seven cents to ten, with free transfers, and an increase in the fare of school children from three cents to five was filed yesterday with the Board of Public Utility Commissioners in Trenton. The company operates hundreds of miles of trolley lines in Northern New Jersey.

Recently it was said the company would not operate its lines during the Christmas holidays, as a protest against the wide competition of busses. This competition is largely blamed for the present financial condition of the company.

A statement by Thomas N. McCarter, President of the company, accompanied the application. It said, in part:

"The rate of 7 cents, with 1 cent for a transfer, has now been in effect for one year. It was hoped it would produce sufficient revenue to enable the company to pay its operating expenses and fixed charges and set apart $800,000 per year for depreciation.

"Unfortunately, however, the rate has not done, and is not doing, what it was thought it would accomplish. It has failed to provide any depreciation fund whatsoever, and has resulted in an operating deficit of approximately $400,000, making a total deficit for the year of approximately $1,200,000. This deficit has come about by further increased costs of labor and materials over and above the amount estimated a year ago."

A study of the situation, he stated, discloses that under present conditions of costs and unfair competition nothing will avail to save the company except a ten-cent fare. The new rate, he says, becomes effective on Jan. 1.

The company serves 126 villages, towns and cities and until Aug. 1, 1919, charged a five-cent fare with free transfers.

John W. Slocum, President of the Public Utility Board, said no action would be taken by the board on the application of the company until the Supreme Court had handed down a decision as to the power of the Governor to oust the board. In the meantime, he said, the new rate would not become effective.

Mayor Charles P. Gillen of Newark said he would make a personal fight against any increase.

HONORS TO FEISAL ANGER THE FRENCH

Statement by Lloyd George Flatly Contradicted at the Paris Foreign Office.

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PARIS, Dec. 7.—Considerable interest of a not very friendly kind is being taken in France in the visit which is being paid to England by Emir Feisal, ex-King of Syria. Today at the Foreign Office denial was given to a statement made by Mr. Lloyd George in the British Parliament that the French Ambassador in Rome had refused approval of Feisal's passport on his own authority. The diplomat charged with the task of giving information of this kind declared:

"The statement made by the British Premier is quite inexact. It was not on his own authority that our Ambassador refused the necessary approval, but on express instructions of the French Government."

What Feisal is doing in England and how he comes to be received by King George is considerable of a puzzle to many persons here who imagined that when General Gouraud marched into Damascus and forced Feisal to flee the British were in accord and were also anxious to get rid of the Arab King whom they had created. Now Feisal is being honorably received in England and treated as much as an ally as was Premier Leygues during his recent visit.

The incident of the passport is of no importance in itself, but it shows unmistakably how different are British and French policies in the Near East and how different their estimate of Feisal. Coming as it does just at the time when the whole Turkish problem has just been raised by the discussion on Greece it serves as a curious sidelight.

FIRST PRESIDENT OF DANZIG.

Constituent Assembly Proclaims Itself the Free City's Parliament.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The Constituent Assembly of Danzig has proclaimed itself the Parliament of the free city under the title of "Folkstag," with powers to enact legislation until 1923. A majority of the Socialists, Independent Socialists and Poles voted against this decision and then left the hall, taking no further part in the proceedings.

Dr. Sahm, the former Burgomaster, has been elected President of the Senate and is thus the first President of the free city of Danzig.

COLONIAL POLICY URGED FOR ALASKA

Gov. Riggs Declares Lack of It Causes Diversion of Capital to British Columbia.

SEEKS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Says Founders of Industries Are Knighted in Canada, but Often Indicted in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—An appeal for "the greatest possible meed of self-government" runs through a long series of recommendations for governing the Territory of Alaska submitted in the annual report of Thomas Riggs, Jr., the Territorial Governor, made public today.

He urges the definition of some kind of colonial policy as applied to the Territory, asserting that the absence of such a policy has caused capital, supposedly headed for Alaska to turn to British Columbia, to the gain of the Canadian province and to the loss of Alaska. This causes him to remark that "in Canada the founder of a great new industry gets knighted; in Alaska, very often, indicted."

Honest and energetic attempts, Governor Riggs adds, have been made by the Washington Government to open Alaska through the construction of the Government railroad, but little attention has been paid to the development of the Territory's natural resources and little encouragement in the way of legislation has been provided to get any one to settle along the railroad now under construction.

As a remedy for this condition, he submits as his chief recommendation the enactment by Congress of the pending Alaska Development Board bill. This measure, he asserts, will do more for Alaska than any other piece of legislation. Seemingly, he adds, it is supported by both political parties and opposed only by the Government bureaus at Washington, in which, he says, "the desire to perpetuate bureaucratic power seems to be inherent."

The prediction is made by Governor Riggs that should the Development Board bill and other recommendations which he submits be adopted, "the Territory, instead of simply being the greatest per capita contributor to the national revenues, will, in addition, soon become self-supporting and self-sustaining."

Governor Riggs submits figures showing that the total commerce of Alaska with the United States in the last calendar year amounted to $105,586,095, a decrease of $17,850,396 from 1918, due largely to after-effects of the war, to a smaller run of salmon and to lessened copper mining resulting from the slump in the copper market.

Discussing labor conditions, the Governor says that there was a shortage of labor and that the condition of the laboring man in Alaska was better than in the States, because of lower rents and prices, while the opportunities for saving were greater, "as there is not the same temptation to spend on either amusements or 'boiled shirts,' silk stockings and high-heeled shoes."

The Govenor places the value of Alaska's mineral products in 1919 at $19,620,913, which may be compared with the $7,200,000 paid by the United States to Russia for the Territory. The mines of Alaska since the beginning of the industry in 1880, are estimated by Governor Riggs to have produced $438,161,000 worth of minerals.

SPECULATE ON YALE HEAD.

Several Names Are Suggested as Hadley's Successor.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 7.—The Yale Corporation will meet on Saturday and the session may result in the selection of a new President of the university, although it is said that a decision may not be reached before the January meeting. A committee of five appointed by the corporation to make recommendations relating to the next President of the university has not reported.

At present the committee, after consulting with alumni, is said to favor Secretary Anson Phelps Stokes, who has been President Hadley's right-hand man for two decades and who has been sought as President by several colleges and universities.

Dean Hawkes of Columbia and the Rev. Dr. H. S. Coffin of New York City are also mentioned and are reported to have a strong alumni following. Dr. Fred Howsley Murphy of St. Louis, a member of the corporation, is another possible candidate.

Other ne wnames which have also been suggested as compromise candidates are Samuel H. Fisher of New York City, of the Class of '89, counsel for the Harkness and Sterling estates; Donald J. Cowling, President of Carleton College, Northfield, Minn.; John H. Finley, who has just resigned as Commissioner of Education in New York; George Vincent, head of the Rockefeller Foundation, and Professor Charles Seymour, one of President Wilson's advisers at Paris.

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MEN IN AUTOMOBILE KIDNAP SCHOOLBOY

Seize Seven-Year-Old James Gimminarro, Son of a Farmer, in Bethpage, L. I.

SISTER ESCAPES TO HOUSE

Authorities Think Crime May Be Due to Old Quarrels in Which Family Took Part.

As seven-year-old James Gimminarro reached the schoolhouse at Bethpage, in Nassau County, L. I., yesterday morning with his ten-year-old sister, Frances, a limousine in which were three men drew up at the roadside. One of the men alighted and talked to the lad, a son of Albert Gimminarro, a poor farmer living a couple of miles away. The boy evidently demurred at some proposal, and a second man stepped from the car. The two seized the lad, choked off his screams and flung him into the automobile, which dashed rapidly north toward New York. Frances ran into the schoolhouse. She was so hysterical that it was two hours before she could tell what happened.

Constable John Jackson and two State troopers started an investigation as soon as the kidnapping was reported. They learned that the boy's father and mother had been in Brooklyn since Sunday, visiting relatives, the home being in charge of another son, John, 33 years old. This boy and an 18-year-old brother both professed themselves ignorant of any plausible motive for the kidnapping. An uncle living nearby also said he knew of no enemies of the family. John Gimminarro went to Brooklyn when the parents failed to return last night in order to bring them back.

He returned without the parents, who were with a married daughter at 42 Wilson Avenue. He told Constable Jackson they were grief stricken at the news, but could supply no theory as to the kidnappers' motive. His parents would return to Bethpage today, he said.

Investigation disclosed that some men apparently had sheltered themselves in a shed in the Farmingdale brickyard, not far from the schoolhouse, and there were automobile tracks near the shed.

The Gimminarro children were not sent to school on Monday, when their parents failed to return home, and the inference was drawn by the investigators that the men had intended to seize the lad on Monday, but waited hidden in the neighborhood when they did not find the opportunity that day.

Constable Jackson said last night that, despite the statements of members of the family, he had information that the Gimminarros, who have lived in Bethpage about two years, had taken part in certain quarrels several years ago, and he was inclined to believe that in these quarrels lay the motive for seizing the boy.

The authorities placed no credence in early reports that the kidnapping was inspired by some [illegible] mother who had lost her own child.

SCHOOL GIRL DISAPPEARS.

Father Tells of Note, Intimating Suicide, After Dispute.

Goldie Blanche Haggerty, 15 years old, of 278 Marion Street, Brooklyn, quarreled with another girl in the Jamaica High School on Monday over the ownership of a pair of gymnasium slippers. The teacher decided the slippers belonged to the other girl and gave them to her.

Frank Haggerty, the girl's father, last night asked the police of the Ralph Avenue Station to send out a general alarm for her. The father said his daughter went to her classroom after the argument and left a note saying:

"I am not a thief. Those slippers were mine. When this note is found I will be no more."

Mr. Haggerty said a teacher found the note and delivered it to the principal, Charles Volsburgh. Mr. Volsburgh said he had investigated, but had been unable to learn of the existence of any such note.

No trace of the girl has been found in hospitals or in the homes of friends or relatives.

INTERNATIONAL ARMY READY TO POLICE VILNA

League's Control Mission Completes Mediation—Poles Reject British Silesian Proposal.

WARSAW, Dec. 6 (Associated Press).—Virtual completion of its original mission of acting as mediator between General Zeligouski's new State of Central Lithuania and the Kovno Government was reported by the League of Nations Commission of Control upon its arrival here today.

The armistice negotiated between the two Governments has become effective and the exchange of prisoners has begun, while both sides, which were preparing for prolonged warfare, have discontinued the mobilization of classes previously called to the colors.

Suggestion has been made by the commission to Geneva relative to the details of the proposed plebiscite to decide on the allocation of territory. The commission will remain here for a week or more, awaiting instructions and holding conferences. The League's international army, which will be under command of Colonel Chardigny, Chairman of the Control Commission, is now being assembled, but the date when it will go to Vilna has not been determined.

Proposals by Great Britain that Upper Silesians living in other parts of Germany should be permitted to vote at their places of residence in the coming plebiscite, which will determine the future disposition of Upper Silesia, is disapproved by the Polish Government.

Replying to a communication sent by the Council of Ambassadors, incorporating the British plan, the Polish Government declares if Silesians are permitted to vote outside that district abuses will result. If these persons are permitted to vote at all, Poland insists that they vote in Upper Silesia.

Newspapers here allege a new German plot has been discovered in the plebiscite area. They say 30,000 Germans, for the most part Government troops, are in a conspiracy to import arms and ammunition for use in case the plebiscite goes in favor of Poland.

EX-KAISERIN HAS RELAPSE.

Her Condition Again Reported to Be Very Critical.

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THE HAGUE, Dec. 7.—After a few days' comparative rest the ex-Kaiserin had violent heart attacks last night and today. The doctors state that her intestines are now also affected, and that her temperature this afternoon was very high.

The Rev. Dr. Dryander conducted an impressive service in the ex-Kaiser's private chapel with special prayers for the ex-Kaiserin before returning to Berlin.

Telegrams have been sent to the Queen of Sweden and the ex-Crown Prince and his wife informing them of the serious situation.

Georgian Republic to Pass Jews.

CONSTANTINE, Dec. 6 (Jewish Telegraphic Agency).—The Minister of the Interior of the Georgian Government has informed the Jewish community that Jews from Russia may pass through the territory of the republic on their way to Palestine, according to a report received from Batum. The Minister, however, stipulates that emigrants must not make any extended stay in the country.

Nicaragua Votes to Float $9,000,000 Loan in New York

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 7.—The Nicaraguan Congress in special session has approved a loan of $9,000,000 to be floated in New York.

This money is to be employed in the construction of a railroad to the Atlantic Coast, the repurchase of the Pacific Railroad and the cancellation of the bonds of 1909.

TINO IS CHEERFUL; DEFENDS POLICIES

Finds Lloyd George Most Unfriendly of All Entente Allies.

READY TO GO TO ATHENS

Suggests That Revision of the Sevres Treaty Would Make a "Scrap of Paper of It."

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LUCERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 7.—I interviewed ex-King Constantine this morning on the results of the Greek plebiscite and found him in buoyant, not to say challenging, mood. "Oh, yes," he exclaimed after my introduction, "you are representing The Daily Chronicle, the Lloyd George paper. Well, I can tell you that Mr. Lloyd George is, of all the Entente statesmen, the most unfriendly toward me."

"What makes you think that?" I asked.

"Well," replied Tino, "I happen to know that in a recent conference in London he was much stronger against me than were the French."

The ex-King does not like his familiar sobriquet, for when it happened to arise in the course of later conversation he said to me: "Why do you always call me Tino in your headlines? How would Balfour like it if you called him Arthur, or Lloyd George if you called him David?"

On the general situation created by the plebiscite Constantine said:

"Immediately I receive a summons I shall go to Athens. I think it will be a good thing for everybody if I return. It is the only way of re-uniting the Greek people, and therefore in the interests of the Allies also, if they want a strong Greece. I have not the slightest bad feeling toward them and want to be on the best relations with them. We have not the least intention of changing our foreign policy. Why should we? Even if it is assumed that I am going there as an ill-disposed person no change of policy would be possible, because we want Greece to keep what it has gained, and therefore must have good relations with the Allies."

When I suggested the possibility of a revision of the treaty of Sèvres Tino answered: "That would be to treat it as a scrap of paper. After all, you do not make a treaty with any individual, but with a whole country. The Entente's threats arise from the idea that we are going to change our policy and remove the army from Asia Minor. We have not the least intention of doing so, and when the Allies realize that I hope they will withdraw their threats."

Questioned as to the report that he was going to lead the army personally, Constantine replied: "That is a matter for the Government. If they think it good that I should go to Smyrna, I shall go at once. I shall not have the least hesitation."

As to the report that the new régime was willing to offer Venizelos a high post [illegible] it would be against the wishes of the Greek people. If they in the future gave him a majority I should not hesitate to ask him to form a Government, but at present M. Venizelos does not exist in Greece. He is a politician who was head of a party, but this time he is not even a member of the Chamber. It is his business, if he can, to make himself the head of a party again."

"On his attitude toward the ex-Kaiser and Germany, Tino was ingenious. "One of my crimes," he said, "is that I am the brother-in-law of the ex-Kaiser. Well, assume for a moment that I am his friend. His worse enemies are the present German Government, so [illegible] going to try to make a bridge with the German Government? The whole thing is absurd."

This led to the subject of his relations with the Kaiser during the war and the discussion turned on the allegation that Tino expressed his sympathies with him.

"Of course," he said, "I did that in order to keep him quiet. Remember, I had a devil of a time between the two sides. Just then the German Government was complaining that I was helping the Allies and asking me for proof that I was really neutral, so I sent a telegram to the ex-Kaiser, saying that I sympathized with him so as to keep him quiet."

Complaining that his policy during the war had been misrepresented to the Entente peoples, Constantine said he was sure it was not known that he four times offered to join the Entente, once on Aug. 1, 1914; twice in 1915, and again in September, 1916. "In May, 1915, we offered to join on condition of the assured integrity of Greece, but President Poincaré told me he could not give such an assurance, meaning, of course, that something had been offered to Bulgaria. The real trouble throughout was that the Entente had implicit belief in Venizelos, and he was always intriguing against me.

"With regard to our treaty with Serbia, Venizelos, though one of the signatories, maintained that under the then circumstances the treaty did not oblige us to come into the war."

Constantine followed this up with a detailed defense of his action in connection with the charge that he would have stabbed the Allies in the back. He said:

"That is too absurd. Sir Francis Elliott himself assured me that he was confident he had no such intention. Elliott also told me he was sure that the Greek people did not want to go into the war, though at the time I was being represented as an autocrat who was keeping them out. All through the war the Allies built a sort of stone wall around me. I was misrepresented all the time and ever since. The other day your Under Foreign Secretary talked about my bad behavior since the armistice. Assuming that I was bad during the war I couldn't have been since, because I have been in Switzerland all the time and have done nothing. But when I telegraphed to him to ask what my bad behavior consisted in he did not even reply."

Up to the moment of telegraphing the exiles here have not received any official communication from Athens. Whereby hangs an interesting tale. "A Greek friend just told me," said the former King, "that the Government will not take any action today because it is an old superstition in Greece that Tuesday is an unlucky day. It dates [illegible] fifteenth century, which took place on a Tuesday. As a matter of fact, my father himself was superstitious on the point. For instance, he would never swear in a new Minister on a Tuesday."

[illegible] confessed that his own accession to the throne was on a Tuesday, and said, "After I left Greece I received several letters solemnly telling me I had finished badly because I began on a Tuesday."

McCormick Visits French Senate.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—United States Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois today visited the French Senate. He was introduced to the body by Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, Senator from the Department of Sarthe.

CABINET WON'T ASK EX-KING TO RETURN

Will Merely Notify Constantine of Plebiscite Result, Leaving Decision to Him.

MANY REFUSED TO VOTE

Venizelists Abstained, Wishing to Hold Constantinists Responsible for Consequences.

CONSTANTINOPLE IS HOSTILE

Greek Population There Practically in a State of War With the Athens Government.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—The Athens Government, according to the Temps, has decided not to send an official delegation to ex-King Constantine, inviting him to return to Greece, but will merely send a dispatch informing him of the result of the plebiscite, thus leaving to Constantine the responsibility of the initiative in the matter of his return. The Greek Government's position, adds the Temps, is due to the Allies' latest note.

Constantine received 98 per cent. of the votes cast in Sunday's plebiscite on the question of his return to the throne, according to an Athens dispatch dated Monday, received by the Greek Legation here today. The voters, it is added, numbered 300,000 more than those taking part in the recent Parliamentary election.

Royalists Mobbed in Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 6.—The Greeks here are virtually in a state of war with the Athens Government. Officers loyal to Constantine are being assailed in the beer shops and maltreated in other places. Constantine's portraits are being torn down and trodden on.

There have been boisterous demonstrations outside the Greek Legation, thousands of persons protesting against the return of Constantine to the throne of Greece.

Numerous dismissed Venizelist officers are applying to the French Army for permission to enter the French service.

Plans for Ex-King's Reception.

ATHENS, Dec. 7.—Returns from the plebiscite held last Sunday continue to favor ex-King Constantine's return to Greece. The fact has become apparent, however, that in many districts the people neglected to vote. In twenty-seven districts in Athens in which there should have been 45,746 votes only 20,655 were cast.

Athens today was filled with rumors that the Turks were beginning an offensive against Smyrna. It was also rumored that the Cabinet had requested Constantine to delay his return in view of the firm financial note of the Allies to Greece. The Italians are said to be encouraging the view that the Allies do not intend to maintain their stand. The Cabinet, however, appears to desire to gain time.

An invitation will be extended to ex-King Constantine to return to Greece after the announcement of the result of Sunday's plebiscite, which is expected to be made tomorrow.

Plans for Constantine's return contemplated his sailing from Brindisi on board the liner Patris, which will be accompanied by the cruisers Kilkis and Lemnos and a number of destroyers.

Constantine's Train Ready.

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GENEVA, Dec. 7.—A dispatch from Lucerne says that, although the definite results of the Greek plebiscite will be unknown until night, Constantine's royalist friends yesterday sent a number of telegrams declaring the vote entirely in his favor. Constantine therefore gave a champagne dinner and ordered a special train to be held in readiness to take the royal family to Italy. The valet brushed the King's uniforms, which had been lying in trunks for the last three and a half years, during his exile in Switzerland.

There is no doubt that Constantine intends to return to Athens in spite of the hostile position taken recently by England and France, and even at the cost of eventually ruining Greece.

"Let great nations treat with me directly as equals in Athens," Constantine said recently. This is his policy.

LUCERNE, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—Ex-King Constantine, whose return to the Greek throne was voted for by the Greek people in Sunday's plebiscite, said today that he was expecting that the Government would notify him to return to Greece as a result of the vote, but that he did not expect the notification to come today, because of the Greek superstition that Tuesday is an unlucky day.

"It is like your Friday," he remarked to the correspondent. "No matter what happens, they will not telegraph today."

Discussing today the possibility of Greece attempting to negotiate a loan in the United States in the event that the Allies discontinued their financial support of Greece, Constantine said, with twinkling eyes: "Were President Wilson there I don't know. Perhaps the new Government will be more generous."

ROME, Dec. 7.—According to reports circulating in Greek circles here ex-King Constantine of Greece will pass through Italy Thursday, sailing from Brindisi for Athens.

Many Greeks, especially from Trieste, Venice, Rome and Naples, plan to return to Greece at the same time that Constantine makes the journey, or soon thereafter.

SATURNALIA IN ATHENS.

Plebiscite Night Celebration Was Frenzied but Good-Natured.

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ATHENS, Dec. 6.—The Athenians enjoyed themselves yesterday in their own particular way. No people in Europe have a finer instinct than they for the associating of noise and discord with popular rejoicings. With them one is inseparable from the other.

Athens, as did all Greece, voted on the question of the return of Constantine. The result of the plebiscite cannot be known for several days. Everybody was in a joyous mood, and, as polling regulations were reduced to a minimum, the electors of Athens, as well as those who were not electors at all, manifested their enthusiasm as Constantinists by voting early and often.

This duty accomplished, the citizens abandoned themselves to a carnival of cacophony. They shouted, sang and shrieked themselves hoarse, marching up and down the streets, and when human voices failed through the severe strain whistles, tin trumpets and motor sirens were all called upon to add their note of dissonance to the city's wild revels. Women took a prominent part in the Saturnalia. Unkempt, with laurel-crowned brows, they looked like so many editions of the Furies of mythology, bent on the destruction of those who incurred their anger.

HOPPE INCREASES HIS BILLIARD LEAD

Defeats Schaefer, 400 to 176, for Second Victory in Defense of 18.2 Title.

COCHRAN IN LOSING MATCH

Afternoon Contest for Play for National Honors Goes to Fellow-Californian by 400 to 207.

STANDING IN NATIONAL 18.2 BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.

	W.	L.	H.A.	H.R.	P.C.
W. Hoppe	2	0	29 8-16	179	1000
J. Schaefer	1	1	22 4-15	173	.535
W. Cochran	1	2	16 8-22	93	.333

This afternoon's game—Hoppe vs. Schaefer.

Tonight's game Hoppe vs. Cochran.

Willie Hoppe gained a clear lead in the national 18.2 balkline billiard tournament at the Hotel Astor last night. He defeated Young Jake Schaefer by a score of 400 to 176. In the afternoon Schaefer defeated Welker Cochran, 400 to 207.

The second night's playing was productive of the best billiards thus far displayed. The conditions were not all that they might have been. A draft of wind squeezed through from some unknown source and chilled the balls to such an extent that in the fifth inning, just after Hoppe had completed a run of 69, Schaefer's cue ball, which had been warmed, as badly cracked as Chaney Peterson, the referee, had to stop the game while he changed the ivories.

However Schaefer cannot find an alibi in that fact for his failure to make a better showing against the champion. Schaefer did not play with the ball that it was cracked. Hoppe did all the playing with the bad ball, and it wasn't until the last few shots that Hoppe made during the run that it was noticeable that the ball was rolling off. It became evident to those who were closely watching that there was something radically wrong. Peterson looked the ivories over carefully and, when Hoppe had finished shooting, announced that it was the ball's necessary to change the balls. He marked the spots for them and placed them as they were and Schaefer started shooting. He managed to make 7 under very trying conditions before he missed.

The change in balls did not benefit Schaefer during the next few innings. It appeared that the balls were very cold. They failed to respond to English, with the result that both Hoppe and Schaefer had to change their cue tips often. The players tried close examination after the change, but it was of no use—that is, not until the balls warmed up. Then Hoppe was able to speed up a bit in his work and, while he failed to make any more robust runs he collected enough to enable him to run out in his fourteenth inning with an unfinished cluster of 62.

Low Averages Prevail.

The averages that have been made thus far in the tournament have been far below those recorded a year ago, and they have been much lower than the early season form of all three players justified expecting. A year ago the best averages were 60, made jointly by Hoppe and Schaefer. The high run of the championship tournament was 363. This year Schaefer and Morningstar, averaged 50 in the preliminary round at San Francisco, and Morningstar made the high run, a cluster of 277.

Among the interested spectators at last night's game was Edouard Horeman, the Belgian, but he saw little of the real form of either player. The table, he says, has been nothing to make him enthusiastic. He has watched Hoppe's play worse. The champion has been playing little but elementary balkline caroms, with the exception of his one good run against Schaefer. Even the most favorable conditions have been against the players. Not once since the tournament started have they found the balls or the cushions perfect for the best balkline play. The has been due chiefly to the drafts which have chilled the balls, made the cloth slide even more than a new and grade cloth should, and have caused the cushions to be either fast or slow, and never the same.

Hoppe now has beaten both of the players who were engaged against him in the championship hunt. On the first night, Monday, he defeated Welker Cochran after Cochran had beaten Schaefer in the afternoon. The score of that match was 400 to 258. Last night the champion took the measure of Schaefer. Today Hoppe will be called upon to face the biggest test that he has thus far been asked to meet. He will have to play two matches. In the afternoon he will meet Schaefer, and in the evening he will cross cues with Cochran. If the conditions are propitious Hoppe should show to much better advantage. In fact, all of the players should.

Run of 179 is Their Issue.

The best billiards of the tournament was played by Willie Hoppe in the third inning of the night game. The champion put together a run of 179, and the defending Schaefer was simply working against a handicap that was too big for him to overcome. Two innings later, just as Hoppe completed a cluster of 62, Schaefer's cue ball cracked so badly that Referee Charley Peterson had to call a halt and change the balls. It was the fourth game of the tournament and it was the best. But it might have been even better had the climatic conditions been such that the sensitive ivory balls would not have been affected.

There was a draft that found its way through some loophole into the grand ballroom of the Hotel Astor, and it was responsible for the balls cracking open. The crack, last night amounted to almost a click. The balls were displayed after the game, and those who looked them over were convinced that it would have been folly for the players to continue with the same ivories during duty.

Hoppe's high run, which, incidentally, is the high run of the tournament to date, was made by accumulation of all the balkline plunging. It was not a finesse exhibition, and yet there was just enough of the line nurse employed to impress the gallery with Hoppe's finesse were the contrary. Had the balls been right, it has been claimed since he started, the champion probably would have made a much better showing during his run. As on the first night when he played Welker Cochran, Hoppe was hard to play a great many more shots than he actually does. Furthermore, he frequently had to make very difficult two-cushion shots, and three times during the run he had to play a three-cushion shot. All of these shots, which border a great deal close to the nationally that does the close playing, drew forth the plaudits of the crowd.

Hoppe Wins Bouts.

Up to the time that Hoppe found the balls in position to start his high run in the third inning there had been but little to recommend the game. Hoppe won the toss and selected the white ball. He made thirteen in his opening inning before handing Schaefer immediately a cluster of eight, and should have made more but he became a bit careless after rewarding his fifth shot. Thereafter he let the balls speed a bit more than he should have, with the result that he was unable to make a basic shot after the eighth. Hoppe followed this with an automatic run of nine and missed on an open table shot played for position. Schaefer came back with three.

After Hoppe plunged into the first real balkline play of the game and should the balls in good position after Schaefer missed, and the champion started on a fine nurse that carried the balls most of the way along the short rail and down the long rail. Hoppe had an open table shot, but he made no attempt to use his massé ball play when up to the high standard he has set, and it nevertheless was the best that has been witnessed. The fact that the balls were chilled is no doubt had a great deal to do with his failure to be more accurate on his position playing. The fact that the balls did get away from him and that they lined up on him gave the spectators a chance to see what Hoppe could do when he absolutely had to.

Interest Fails Away.

After Hoppe had made his big run, much of the interest of the match seeped away. It was conceded that Schaefer still had a chance to emerge with the long side of the score, but the chance seemed very remote. At the end of the third inning the score was: Hoppe, 201; Schaefer, 43. It was a big working margin for a player of Hoppe's ability to hold.

In the fourth and fifth innings Hoppe made 30 and 52, respectively, and the score then stood: Hoppe, 283; Schaefer, 60. But Schaefer had not yet been counted out. In the seventh inning the son of the late "Wizard" jammed through a cluster of 101. It was his second best effort since the tournament started and, so far as yesterday was concerned, it was his last.

They followed a long siege of safety playing. Both Hoppe and Schaefer resorted to the use of oil. They refused to take any chances, preferring to leave the balls in difficult positions if there appeared to be a chance of missing rather than playing for the immediate good position and position.

It was not until the ninth inning that there was any real action. In that round Hoppe put together a run of 39. He played some very good billiards during the brief session, but he was unable to keep it up and he finally missed on a two-cushion bank shot that he attempted rather than play a defensive ball-to-ball carom so that he would be in position to drive the balls out of balk on his next shot. From the eleventh to the thirteenth there was nothing but oil smeared on the table. Then came the fourteenth and Hoppe ran out with a cluster of 62.

Hoppe—	13	9	179	39	52	0	0	7	39	0	0	0	62.
Total—400. Average, 28 8-14. High run, 179.													
Schaefer—	2	2	13	7	1	0	10	0	2	0	0	0	0.
Total—176. Average, 14 4-22. High run, 101.													

In the afternoon game, Schaefer won the bank and selected the white ball. Both men were very uncertain at the start. Neither seemed to know just where the balls were going to go, with the result that in his first three innings Schaefer failed to count. In the meantime Cochran had accumulated the extraordinary total of five. These figures were enough to show that neither man was in stroke.

The first run that amounted to anything came in the sixth inning, when Schaefer made a cluster of 172, the highest that has been made in the tournament to date. The run was gained through close manipulation. It was seldom that the balls got away from him, and when they did he gathered them quickly again by drives or around the table shots, and continued his close work. Here nursing was his chief forte. It was seldom that he had to use a massé or more than one cushion caram. His stroke seemed to be perfect and his execution was all it could be desired.

Schaefer Shows Improvement.

The billiards that Schaefer played was in great contrast to the match that he played the first afternoon. In his opening game on Monday he seemed to be careless, was inclined to miss the easiest shots and to try to play the more difficult shots with great accuracy. He did fall in this way, that his draw stroke was not good that is on Monday. On Tuesday, however, in the second game he showed more real billiards and played more real billiards than has been played in the tournament to date.

There was no draft perceptible, but the conditions were far from being ideal. They had no more crack to the balls than had on the opening day, but the balls seemed to be a bit chilled at the outset. It was to this that the majority were inclined to attribute the stuttering of the men when they first went to the table. When the game was finally under way Schaefer played a brilliant game that could not have been made under anything but the most ideal conditions.

The balls were in anything but a favorable condition when he started, but after his fifth shot he had them together, and from then until he finally missed the ivories seldom were out of his control. There was very little open table play during his run. Most of the time he had the balls under absolute control and one of the outstanding features was his propitious and propitious play. He laid on the second object ball with a precision that would have done Hoppe credit, and it was to this exactly that his high run was attributable:

The score:

Schaefer—	0,	0,	0,	11,	19,	172,	1,	32,	0,	0,	
1, 22, 11, 0, 41, 6, 12, 21, 32—Total, 400. Average, 22 4-15. High run, 172.											
Cochran—	5,	0,	0,	0,	0,	0,	0,	35,	0,	1,	
32, 0, 0, 5, 1, 0, 24—Total, 207. High run, 66. Average, 12 8-22.											

LEWIS WINS WITH CUE.

Defeats Dalton in Class C Billiard Tournament by 150 to 139.

In the continuation of the 21 A. A. U. P. Class C billiard tournament at the National Recreation Academy in Brooklyn last night four more or less interesting games were played, the winners being J. M. Lewis, jr., Claude Lewis, George Spear and C. J. Steinmuller. The game between J. M. Lewis, jr., and J. A. Dalton proved to be the most interesting, the final score being 150 to 139. Although the former had a lead of 42, the score being at that time 100 to 58. Then Dalton made runs of 21 and 20, among others, and in the thirtieth frame led, 134 to 130. Lewis came back, however, and in 41 more nip and tuck all the way to the finish. Lewis's high run was 15, while Dalton's were 20 and 21. The winner's average was 3.24-41.

Claude Lewis defeated F. A. Petersen by a score of 150 to 104, his high being a run of 27, while his average was 3.12-41, while the latter's was 2.2-3. George Spear defeated J. S. Blaisdell by a score of 150 to 119 and Spear had as high run of 28, while his adversary was able to clip off only 16. His average was 3.16-42 as against Blaisdell's 2.26-42. The other game, between Steinmuller and Worcester, proved a veritable walkaway for the former, the score being 150 to 87. The winner's high run was 24, while Worcester's was 9, and the averages of the two were 3.30-42 and 2.7-37, respectively.

SASAKI IS CUE VICTOR.

Japanese Billiardist Defeats Quinlan, 35 to 29, in Good Game.

K. Sasaki surprised the crowd at Trum's Academy last night by defeating W. Quinlan by a score of 35 to 29 in the three cushion handicap tournament. This was Sasaki's last scheduled game and his first win in the tournament. He showed more real billiards and played more real billiards than has been played in the tournament to date.

The following are warm awarded their prizes for the season just past: Captain, Goodale, Benjamin, Brunn, Elvey, Bajuns, Hertz, Egger, Emerson, Busch, Forst, Everard, Anthony, Strachan, Jones, Barnard, Marston, Basile, Adams and Berlson.

The large five schedule which has been arranged for next season will be considerably harder than the ones just played through, and the Stevens team will have to play at top speed all season to be able to continue its string of victories. Newark, Rutgers, Pennsylvania, Hamilton and Swarthmore will again appear on the schedule, and most likely Williams, Colgate and Columbia will have a place. The student body is keen for a renewal of rivalries with Rutgers and there is no doubt but that the game may be arranged.

McCARTHY to Captain Villanova.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—John A. McCarthy of Lawrence, Mass., has been elected captain of the 1921 Villanova football team, it was announced yesterday. McCarthy, is a junior and has played centre on the team for two years.

BELGIANS GAIN LAP IN SIX-DAY RACE

Van Hevel and Vandenbergh Make Successful Effort Just Before Midnight.

SCORE AT 2 A. M. SIXTH HOUR.

Team.	Miles.	Laps.
Brocco and Coburn	882	5
Hobaert and Peeryns	882	4
Van Hevel & Vandenbergh	882	4
McNamara and Egg	882	3
Spears and Lawrence	882	3
Verri and Bellani	882	3
Piani and Lenge	882	3
Van Nek and Miguel	882	3
Rodell and Thomas	882	3
Payne and Stanbis	882	3
Suter and Suter	882	2
Grimm and Van Ditvle	882	1

Leader, Brocco. Former record, 1,003 miles 5 laps, made by Cameron and Kaiser in 1915.

The mad tearing about the saucer at Madison Square Garden in search of laps in the twenty-ninth annual six-day grind continued apace last night, when Julius Van Hevel and Henri Van Derberghe, one of the Belgian teams in the grind, lapped the field after eleven minutes of furious riding, following shortly the completion of the sprints for points.

The two Belgians, emulating the popular conception of cycling maniacs, tore over the track at breakneck speed from 11:17 until 11:28, when Van Hevel, the instigator of the mad jaunters, pulled abreast of Maurice Brocco, the Italian riding sensation, who was striving zealously to shake off the inevitable.

With the achievement of this lap Van Hevel and Van Derbergbe advanced to within one lap of Brocco and Willie Coburn, who are leading the main part of the field by two laps. Van Hevel and Van Derbergbe and Oscar Debaets and Adolf Feryns, another Belgian combination, who gained a lap Monday night, are one lap each back of Brocco and Coburn.

During the mad scramble the team of Grimm and Van Ditvlve, already three laps behind Brocco and Coburn, succeeded in placing them four laps behind the leading team.

The teams of Verri and Bellani, Bedell and Thomas and Sperry and Lawrence each finished 3[illegible] for poor pickups during the night, and were penalized with the admonition that a repetition of the offense would be met with a penalization of a lap in each instance.

The lap producing sprint came like a bolt of lightning and roused the biggest crowd of the race to the fever point in excitement. Thunderous applause greeted Vanhevel and Vandenbergh on their way as they dashed over the track in quest of the coveted circuit.

Crowd Cheers, Wildly.

The suddenness of the riding larceny gripped the crowd and, in a small measure, aided the triumphant Belgian considerably. It had been noised about the Garden that Brocco and Coburn, not content with their present advantage, were to attempt a further pilfer, and the time was fixed at 11 o'clock. On the quarter hour, with the riders moving at an easy pace, Vanhevel shot away from the group with surprising suddenness and the fun was on.

The crowd was on its feet in a jiffy, yelling wildly as the subjects of Albert strained at their pedals. Relief followed relief, the pair always picking up ground for a space of eleven minutes during which they lapped the field of the Canadian and eventually brought his bike abreast of the weary Brocco, with the attainment of the lap so eagerly sought.

The results of the evening sprints follow:

First Sprint—Brocco, Debaets, Egg, Miquel, Bedell and Thomas.

Second Sprint—Coburn, Feryns, Piani, Byron, McNamara and Thomas.

Third Sprint—Brocco, Debaets, Piani, Egg, Bedell, Miquel and Byron.

Fourth Sprint — Coburn, Debaets, Lenge, McNamara, Thomas and Vanek.

Fifth Sprint—Brocco, Debaets, Vanhevel, Egg, Bedell and Stable.

Sixth Sprint—Coburn, Feryns, Lenge, McNamara, Byron and Smith.

Seventh Sprint—Coburn, Debaets, Piani, Miquel, Egg and Bedell.

Eighth Sprint—Brocco, Feryns, Lenge, McNamara, Thomas and Byron.

Ninth Sprint—Coburn, Debaets, Egg, Piani, Bedell and Miquel.

Tenth Sprint—Brocco, Feryns, Lenge, McNamara, Thomas and Stable.

Some Gastronomic Feats.

The riders, tired from their exertions throughout the first twenty-four hours of the race, followed a comparatively slow gait in the second round of the clock. The cyclists welcomed the respite. The terrific riding of Monday, in addition to causing the elimination of Frank Kramer, Willie Spencer and Anthony Young, had its effect on the survivors. Individually and collectively they were weary, and their pace throughout the day indicated this. Aside from the customary madison sprints for points, there was little speeding. One of the direct results of the mad tearing about the saucer is the noticeable sharpening of the appetites of the pedal pushers. This is particularly true in the foreign camp. This exclusive spot in the Tuscan arena contains fifty-four races, including eleven teams and thirty-two trainers. Jack Neville, who has been looking after six-day riders for twenty years, is responsible for the feeding of the cyclists and their attendants.

The task is no mean one, as the following inventory of what is consumed in the average day will show: Fifty loaves of bread, 50 quarts of milk, a loin of beef weighing 70 pounds and producing steaks for the riders, a bushel of potatoes, a dozen pails of corn and a similar allotment of canned peas, string beans and asparagus, a dozen bunches of celery, 30 dozen eggs, half a pack of sugar, six dozen bananas, three dozen pineapples, quantities of tomatoes in the form of custard, rice pudding, stewed prunes, apple sauce and pies, apple. This does not include a large fried pig sent down to the race by Jimmy Dorrah and which has been very properly devoured.

The pain for gastronomic capabilities goes to Orlando Piani. This young Italian is said to be a great liver. He is also a wonderful eater. As visit to the cook's galley, strewn from one end to the other with the debris of the feast of Piani indicates his susceptibilities in this regard six times a day. In this eating operation, the average meal consists of steak, trapped with two fried eggs, half a dozen rolls and three cups of coffee at each sitting. The cost of consumption runs up to twenty-five gallons and the riders who like to delve into the dark, musty past cajole themselves with cases of near-beer.

BUSCH IS MADE CAPTAIN.

Will Lead Stevens Tech Football Team Next Year.

Frank Busch has been elected Captain of the Stevens Tech football team for the season of 1921. Busch, who hails from Portland, Ore., has played tackle on the Tech team for the last two years, and his work this year was the outstanding feature of the Stevens play.

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COLUMBIA SEEKING ANOTHER BIG GAME

Negotiations in Progress for Pole Grounds Contest With Centre College or Army.

New York will see another big football game at the Pole Grounds next Fall between Columbia and either the Army or Centre College, if negotiations now in progress are successful. Robert W. Watt, Graduate Manager of Athletics at Columbia, admitted yesterday that the Morningside university is angling for a big game at the Brush Stadium on Oct. 15 or 22, and that the Blue and White's opponent will be either the powerful Colonels from Danville, Ky., or the West Point cadets.

This date, Oct. 22, was originally offered to four teams—Illinois, West Point, Centre and Virginia. The Illinois athletic authorities wired back that Western Conference rules prevented the eleven from making the trip East. Centre and Virginia have not yet communicated with Columbia, but the Army, through Major Hayes, has been in conference with Graduate Manager Watt. Major Hayes informed Mr. Watt, according to reports, that a game between the cadets and Yale on Oct. 22, probably at West Point, would not allow the soldiers to come to the Pole Grounds on that day. The previous Saturday, Oct. 15, was not entirely acceptable to the National Exhibition Company, controlling the Pole Grounds, which was not able to guarantee the grounds for that date because of the possibility of the world's series being staged there at that time.

Centre Anxious to Play.

Authentic information indicates that Centre is inclined to give a favorable answer to Columbia's invitation to play in New York on Oct. 22. The Danville authorities have practically closed with Harvard for a game at Cambridge on that date, but Centre has asked for this later date in order that it may play at the Pole Grounds on the previous Saturday, combining the two games in one trip North.

Columbia's object in adding another Pole Grounds game to its schedule is said to be that of giving the Blue and White eleven a taste of real football early in the season, instead of the customary opposition furnished by opponents following the teams that have been met at this stage of the year. On Nov. 13 Buck O'Neill's team will in all probability play Cornell at the Brush Stadium, and on Nov. 12 the eleven will go to Franklin Field to play Pennsylvania, under the home-and-home arrangement entered into by the two universities last year. These two games, with the earlier fest in October, will be the features of the football card that Graduate Manager Watt is trying to complete.

It is probable that if the Army is added to next year's schedule, a home-and-home arrangement will be drawn up, which would call for a Columbia-Army game in 1922 at West Point. The excellent showing of the example set by the Naval Academy, are desirous of entering two such agreements. The midshipmen are already in such an alliance with Princeton and are angling for another with Penn State. The Army, according to report, has signed a similar agreement with Yale and Columbia may be the second opponent under this system.

Other Columbia Games.

On the other hand, the great popularity of Centre in the football world has made the Colonels an ideal team to fill the vacant date at the Pole Grounds. Charlie Moran's warriors have played only one game in the North since their sudden rise to fame, and that was with Harvard on Oct. 23 of this year, when a crowd equal in size to that of the Harvard-Pennsylvania game filled the Cambridge field. The appearance of the Colonels in New York, in the opinion of local football men, would make the Pole Grounds game one of the greatest of the season in point of popular interest.

The non-completion of the Columbia schedule will be along the same lines as in former years, it was said yesterday. New York University at present is booked for Oct. 15, but this date may have to be changed if the Army comes to the Pole Grounds. The usual Navy-Fordham-Syracuse-Amherst, Wesleyan and Williams are practical certainties, and Middlebury is understood to have been added to the schedule, probably in place of Trinity. This list of games would bring the season's total up to eight, the same number that was played this Fall. Of these, two would be played at the Pole Grounds, five at South Field and one abroad. It is possible that an earlier start will be made next Fall and another game added to the schedule, making a total of nine. Middlebury will probably open the season at South Field.

HARVARD SHAPES SCHEDULE

Arranges Football Games With Indiana, Penn State and Centre.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 7.—Harvard's football schedule for 1921 is decided on and awaits only confirmation from one or two teams to make it complete. So far Boston University is the only eleven secured to take part in the double-header demonstration, which will close the season on Sept. 24. Graduate Manager Moore hopes to persuade one of the Maine teams to meet another Harvard eleven the same date. Holy Cross has accepted Oct. 1 and Indiana Oct. 8. Word is waiting from Colgate to clinch the Oct. 15 date. Penn State and Centre, two powerful elevens, will appear Oct. 22 and 29. Princeton, Brown and Yale on successive Saturdays in November will conclude the schedule.

The members of the team who played against Yale will meet Friday noon to elect a captain. Keith Hane, who has played a regular position for two seasons, is the logical choice. He formerly captained the Somerville High School of Somerville, N. J. John Crocker of Fitchburg, end, and Wynant Hubbard of Milton, right tackle, are others eligible for the captaincy.

CHILD PLAYER WINS AGAIN.

Rzechewski Defeats Schaffara of Columbia Decisively in Chess.

Samuel Rzechewski, Polandia child chess prodigy, encountered Morris Schaffara, Columbia player and one of the first-class performers in New York, and successful in scoring a decisive victory after a session lasting forty moves.

It was the first test game in which clocks were used, but the child has been tried upon to play simultaneously in this country. He met with flying colors in spite of the fact that many well-known experts expressed the opinion in advance that he would not be equal to the occasion. Two meetings were arranged by Miss Hilliam, the violinist, who is an ardent devotee of chess, and the game was played at his apartments in the Wallsenes in the presence of an invited company of musicians, artists and literary persons. The time agreed upon was thirty moves an hour. Schaffara won the toss for moves and conducted the white pieces.

Rzechewski selected the French Defense and played his side so well that the Columbia student soon was content to adopt conservative tactics. The child brought about an exchange of queens after fifteen moves and three after the play was chiefly on the queen's side of the board. Poland's prodigy played quite a bit faster than his opponent and, after twenty-seven moves, when a brief adjournment was taken, he had consumed only twenty-two minutes, while Schaffara had taken thirty-six.

Rzechewski improved his position gradually after the resumption of play and, on the fifty-fifth move Schaffara began to give indications of worry. At that time he had taken one hour and five minutes, while the prodigy had consumed but forty minutes. Five moves later the Columbian's king was in such an awkward predicament that he was unable to avoid the loss of a knight. With this disadvantage it was hopeless for the older player to continue and he resigned the game. Schaffara's elapsed time was one hour and nineteen minutes and Rzechewski's was forty-one minutes.

Ruth's Autographed Baseballs Sold to Help Orphans' Fund

Babe Ruth, the mighty Yankee hitter, now in Cuba, has proved himself as powerful with the pen as with the bat. The Gibault Home in Indianapolis, a shelter for orphan lads, sent out recently a call for financial aid. Ruth, who received some of his early training in such a home, autographed 500 baseballs, which were sold by the Indiana Knights of Columbus for the benefit of the parentless youngsters. As the prices for the initialed spheres ranged from $10 to $100, the master walloper batted out a very substantial sum for the home.

KECK TO CAPTAIN PRINCETON ELEVEN

Tiger Varsity Men Select Star Tackle as Football Leader for Next Season.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 7.—James Stanton Keck of Greensburg, Pa., was elected captain of Princeton's 1921 varsity football team at a meeting of the football letter men here this evening. Keck is a member of the Class of 1922, and has been accorded a place on almost every all-American team chosen thus far. His work at tackle on the Princeton varsity this year stamped him as one of the greatest linesmen ever developed at Old Nassau, and he has the unique record of having kicked every goal after touchdown which he attempted in the season just closed.

Keck entered Princeton in the Fall of 1917 after establishing a name for himself as one of the best linesmen in the interscholastic ranks when he played at Kiskiminetas and later at Mercersburg, where he prepared. He quickly broke into the limelight by winning the Princeton-Yale freshman game, the season's big contest in the absence of varsity football that Fall, with a 53-yard placement kick, which made the score 9 to 7.

Before the end of the first term of his freshman year Keck left college and joined the ambulance service, going almost immediately to France, where he served until some months after the armistice. The new Princeton captain failed to show the class of his abilities in the season of 1919, because of an injury which he sustained during the Summer, and which did not allow him to take part in any of the scrimmages that year. Despite this handicap he started against Yale and played an excellent game until his leg forced him to be taken out. He has been the mainstay of Princeton's line this year, and one of his chief characteristics is an uncanny ability to judge where a play is going, a trait that is responsible for much of his tackling behind the line of scrimmage.

Is Both Heavy and Fast.

Keck weighs in the vicinity of 215 pounds, an avoirdupois which he carries with as much speed as most of Princeton's backfield men. This was illustrated in the Yale game, when from a fake placement kick formation he raced ahead of the speedy Lourie and made the interference which gave Princeton her first touchdown.

The newly elected Tiger captain enters into his duties with as rosy prospects as Princeton has enjoyed in some time. He will have at his command the entire backfield which started the Yale game, Lourie, Murray, Garrity and Gilroy, one of the strongest combinations behind the line that the Tigers have ever had. Joe Scheerer is the only back of first magnitude who will be lost by graduation this June.

Of the line men, Ed Stinson, end; Tom MacMannon and Mal Dickinson, guards, and Bob Hooper, Kropke running mate at tackle, all Yale game starters, will be back again this year. Captain Callahan, Hedges and Legendre, left end, will be graduated in June. In addition to these, such substitutes as Witmer and McPhee in the backfield, and Towers and Rutan for the line are available for the varsity.

Stars Among Ineligibles.

The Omelettes will contribute Morgan and Baker, the 1919 varsity guards; Snively, a fine end; Finley at tackle, Lipscomb at centre and Hendrian for the backfield.

The election of a linesman to Princeton's football captaincy followed tradition, for the Tigers have not had a backfield player as leader since Frank Glick captained the varsity in 1916. Trevor Hoyt led the team from tackle in the last year before the war. Hack McGraw, the 1919 leader, played the same position. Captain Callahan this year was a centre, and Keck will be the fourth in the tradition.

TWENTY-ONE GET "D'S."

Dartmouth Council Makes Awards to Football Players.

Special to The New York Times.

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 7.—Twenty-one members of the Dartmouth football squad were awarded varsity letters here today at a meeting of the athletic council.

The requirement set by the council this year for the insignia was a full quarter in the Cornell, Pennsylvania, Brown or Washington games. These contests came at the end of the season and were regarded as the big struggles of the year. The council has again established a definite policy in regard to the awarding of insignia, and for this reason the requirements are changed from year to year. The following men were named: Captain Robertson, Holbrook, Bowers, Burke and Grundel, tackles; Jones, Hall, Partridge and Shelburne, guards; Fullbach, Tyrrell, Moore, Gordon, Thrasher and Strong, ends; Neidlinger, Sonnenberg and Weld, tackles; Crisp, Marritt, Ascrizabaum, Berney and Palmer, guards; Cunningham, centre.

Ten of these men are lost by graduation, leaving Coach Spears on his accession eleven from whom to form a 1921 eleven. In the backfield, Captain Robertson and Burke regulars; halfbacks, and Bowers substitute, will be available. Lynch, Moore, Thrasher and Sonnenberg, linemen, will again be eligible to play at tackle. A big loss will be that of Jones, whose consistent work at guard, where he was rated by critics as all-American honors, graduates thus leaving a hole at centre, which will probably be filled by Suttmeier or some member of the 1921 eleven.

McGRAW ON WAY HERE.

Giants' Manager Travels From Havana to Key West by Airplane.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 7.—Charles A. Stoneham and J. J. McGraw, President and Vice President, respectively, of the New York National League Baseball Club, and Mason Peters, editor of The Havana Post, were passengers via airplane to Key West, en route to New York, yesterday.

Mr. Stoneham and Mr. McGraw went to the United States for the purpose of attending a forthcoming meeting of baseball magnates.

Trotter is Sold for $15,000.

John L. Dodge of New York City, formerly owner of the famous race track grounds at Orangeburg, Rockland County, N. Y., has paid something like $15,000 for the sensational young trotter My Choice, recently purchased from John E. Madden of New York City.

Penn to Meet Pitt Eleven Oct. 29.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 7.—The University of Pittsburgh will meet the University of Pennsylvania in a football contest at Philadelphia on Oct. 29, 1921, according to announcement here.

ROBINS HAVE TWO CAMPS IN SIGHT

Likely to Decide Between Alexandria and New Orleans as Training Ground.

Bob Connery, the touring Yankee scout, reported yesterday to the Forty-second Street headquarters from Alexandria, La., whither he had gone to ponder the merits of the place as a training camp possibility. Huggins and his athletes, as has already been told, are quite likely to go to Shreveport, but Connery is still in search of an available and satisfactory site for the Robins, which grounds must be, if not within hailing distance, at least within easy travaling distance of the spot where the Yanks go through their preliminary operations.

Either Alexandria or New Orleans, where Connery went last night, is quite certain to be favored with the presence of the National League champions during the training season. Each of these places made a lusty appeal for selection as the stamping ground for Babe Ruth, the Hittite, and his pals, and one of them will, in all probability, get a substantial consolation prize in the persons of Robinson and his merry men.

Colonel T. L. Huston, one of the owners of the Yankees, who recently left the hospital, saying almost entirely recovered from the after effects of an operation undergone there, has suffered a slight relapse, necessitating another operation, but this time a minor one. This was performed Sunday night and the Colonel was reported yesterday as recuperating rapidly.

SEIZE BASEBALL EVIDENCE.

Papers in World's Series Scandal Cases Ordered Impounded.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Chief Justice Charles A. McDonald seized Grand Jury evidence in the baseball scandal today following discovery that copies of papers in the case had been obtained by Mackay Hoyne, State's Attorney, shortly before his retirement from office Monday. All of the original papers were turned over to the Judge, who ordered them impounded by the Clerk, until the cases of the eight White Sox players who were indicted come to trial.

Judge Robert Crowe, who succeeded Mr. Hoyne as State's Attorney, ordered an investigation after Hartley Replogle, former Assistant State's Attorney, who conducted the baseball investigations, testified Judge McDonald that Mr. Hoyne had demanded copies of the papers last Friday. Mr. Hoyne later said that he had asked for the records simply to have copies made to be put in the cases of his office, for which he was responsible, and that copies were never sealed up.

"As outgoing State's Attorney, I was responsible for all of the papers," said Mr. Heyne, "and I ordered Mr. Replogle to turn them over to my secretary. Mr. Replogle, as Assistant State's Attorney, of course, had to do as I ordered. There is no 'scandal' and nothing wrong."

Federal Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Baseball Commissioner, when informed of the affair by President Ban Johnson of the American League, said that if it was found that any of the evidence had been tampered with or was missing, Federal action would be taken against the guilty persons.

"Baseball is going to be cleared of gamblers, and there is no one who will be allowed to interfere," said Judge Landis.

Mr. Replogle tonight said he had acted under Mr. Hoyne's orders, and could not say what use had been made of the papers after they left his hands. Thomas E. Nash, attorney for George Weaver, one of the White Sox players indicted on a charge of accepting a bribe in connection with the 1919 world's series, said that the original evidence was in court last Friday, as he had seen it at that time.

CRESCENT FIVE IS VICTOR.

Defeats St. Francis Team in Fast Game by 35 to 28.

The Crescent A. C. basketball team defeated the St. Francis College five of Brooklyn in a well-played game on the Crescents' court last night, 35 to 28. Not until the last ten minutes of play did the Crescent team draw away to a commanding lead. During the early part of the game the quintets were on almost even terms, most of the time, though the Crescents forged to a five-point lead just before the half ended. The score at intermission was 19 to 11 against the collegians.

In the second half the St. Francis players spurted again, but the pace began to tell later, and the Crescents drew away from their opponents. The collegians were light, as a rule, but were outweighed considerably by the club representatives.

Nicklas, the former St. John's College star, played a strong game for the winners, two of his goals being of the highly spectacular nature. Parmele also starred in the victory, scoring eleven of the Crescents' points on three field goals and five from the foul line. Keating and Moran did the best work for the collegians.

The line-up:

CRESCENT A.C. (35).		ST. FRANCIS (28).
Stannard	R.F.	Maguire
Parmele	L.F.	Morse
McPhee	C.	Lynch
Nicklas	R.G.	Keating
Stewart	L.G.	Moran

Goals from floor—Nicklas (4), Parmele (5), Stewart (2), Griffin (2), Beck, Keating (4), Moran (2), Morgan (2), Lynch. Foul goals—Parmele (5), Stannard (2), Moran (4). Referee—Tom Thorp, Columbia. Time of halves—20 minutes.

MISS BLEIBTREY TO SAIL.

Mermaid Title Holder Starts Today on Australian Trip.

Arrangements have been completed for the prospective competitive tour of Australasia by Miss Ethelda Bleibtrey, the champion mermaid from the New York Women's Swimming Association. She will leave for Vancouver, B. C., on Dec. 9, and will then leave on the 15th on the steamship Mariposa. Her mother will be her companion on the trip.

According to the plan outlined, Miss Bleibtrey will land in Auckland and spend about one month racing in various cities of New Zealand, then she will proceed to Sydney, the journey between South Wales, Victoria and Queensland to take part in a series of championship events.

In these title tests she will face, among others, Miss Fannie Durack of Sydney, the Australian champion, and Sautin, leading contender for the coming chaster, between them. In August, 1919, Miss Bleibtrey scored a creditable victory over the latter in the quarter-mile American championship race at Manhattan Beach. The Australian girl, however, attributes her defeat to poor water conditions and believes that she can beat the American in a smooth race.

Miss Bleibtrey expects to return to the United States in March.

MEL COOGAN A WINNER.

Outpoints Eddie Wallace in 12-Round Bout at Jersey City.

Mel Coogan, Brooklyn lightweight, outpointed Eddie Wallace, also of Brooklyn, at the Arena Club, Jersey City, last night. The bout was a 12-round affair, Wallace substituted for Willie Jackson, who was unable to box because of an injury.

Gene Tunney, Greenwich Village heavyweight, outpointed the veteran Lee Ellock in another bout on the Arena program.

George Major May Join Giants.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 7.—Walter H. McCredie, manager of the Portland baseball team, today announced that negotiations were under way for the purchase of George Major, star outfielder of the New York Giants, himself is conducting the negotiations, McCredie said.

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GOULD IS WINNER OF SQUASH TOURNEY

Columbia Club Champion Defeats Mixsell in Final Round of Fall Scratch Event.

RUNNER-UP TAKES OPENER

But Victor's Masterly Playing of Angle Shots Gives Him Remaining Games, 15-9, 15-11, 15-7.

Jay Gould, the national court tennis champion and the squash tennis champion of the Columbia Club, was the winner of the annual Fall scratch tournament of the National Squash Tennis Association yesterday afternoon, when he defeated Harold R. Mixsell of the Princeton Club in the final round in four games. The scores were 8—15, 15—9, 15—11, 15—7. Both men had come through to the finals after brilliant play in a field which included most of the leading players at present active in the metropolitan district. Both played better squash in some of their matches last week than they did yesterday, but their meeting was none the less highly interesting. It was staged before a big gallery at the Columbia Club.

Mixsell failed to display the excellent form which had enabled him to gain his victory in the semi-final round at the expense of R. E. Fink of the Crescent A. C. He made a good beginning, capturing the opening game at 15—8, but thereafter his opposition to the Columbia Club champion was disappointing. He made more errors than he usually does, failing to connect with a number of shots that should have been easy for him. On the other hand, he was playing against one of the best squash tennis players of the land, who stands fourth in the national ranking, and whose agility in handling the racquet, especially in wrist manipulation, stands him in as good stead in squash as it does in the more complicated game of court tennis, in which he is without a peer in the world.

Gould Makes Difficult Shots.

Perhaps the most striking feature of Gould's play yesterday was his ability to make his shots from every manner of position and from all sorts of difficult angles. Nine of his back-hand gets were little short of marvelous, and he hammered the ball with equal power on both sides. Gould's mastery of the angles and sense of diffusion rarely failed him. His drives to the corners, and his shots that traveled close to the side walls, gained him numerous aces. Mixsell, too, utilized his excellent command of the angles for many placements, but Gould won by out-guessing him and out-smashing him.

In the last analysis, however, it was the ease and certainty with which Gould was able to make his shots from the most difficult positions imaginable, and, at the same time, to keep the ball low, that earned him the victory. The manner in which he made recoveries when a point seemed already won for his opponent, might well discourage almost any player.

An analysis of the score shows that the men were evenly matched in earned points. Gould earned 26 aces and Mixsell 25. It was in the matter of errors that the winning advantage was revealed. Gould was guilty of but 17 errors to 27 for his opponent. For some of these errors, Mixsell had but himself to blame. Into others he was forced by his rival's severe and accurate hitting.

Mixsell Sets Fast Pace.

Mixsell set a fast pace in the opener. The score remained even through the first six innings, but thereafter the Princeton Club expert pulled away. He finished the game with a run of three, and won the final point on an around-the-court shot which Gould was unable to touch. Mixsell was hitting harder and placing with greater effectiveness in this game, but for the remainder of the encounter it was a different story. Gould clinched the second game in his ninth inning. He was then trailing at 6—4 and some of the more excitable of the spectators in a gathering that filled the gallery to overflowing foresaw an upset. But Gould started full tilt to the top of his game on his ninth hand-in, while Mixsell lapsed into a bit of a slump. The result was seven aces for Gould, who thus ran into the lead at 11—9 and held it to the end. Gould ran the game out on his eleventh and twelfth innings. He earned three points on his eleventh shot at the service and then smashed the ball to an unreachable quarter for the game point. Mixsell's service bothered Gould in the early stages of this game, but he ultimately solved the difficulty triumphantly.

Both men struggled through numerous fruitless innings in the third game before they were able to gather in the points. The score was even most of the way. On his fourteenth inning Gould was in the lead at 9-6, but Mixsell then countered with four aces that sent him momentarily to the fore.

Gould Runs Out the Game.

His advantage was short-lived, for Gould ran out the game in his next three innings, finishing it with a run of four in his seventeenth hand-in. Mixsell had shot his bolt by this time, and it was apparent, soon after the start of the fourth game, that the ultimate result was a question of time only. After his fourth inning, when the score was 2-all, Gould took command and never relinquished it thereafter. He finished the game in thirteen innings, playing with marked consistency and steadiness and exhibiting all his characteristic court craft. He took the match point on a smash that sent the ball to Mixsell's feet with such speed that not even the Princeton Club expert's ability at making sensational recoveries could meet the issue.

The summary and point score follows:

Final Round—Jay Gould, Columbia Club, defeated H. R. Mixsell, Princeton, 8—15, 15—9, 15—11, 15—7.

FIRST GAME.

Mixsell .....0 3 1 0 2 3 1 0 7 1 1 3—15
Gould .....3 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 .—8

STROKE ANALYSIS.

	Tlts.	Pnts.	Outs.	Misses.	S.A.
Mixsell	3	2	8	1	0
Gould	4	6	3	1	1

SECOND GAME.

Gould .....3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 0 3 1—15
Mixsell .....0 3 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 .—9

STROKE ANALYSIS.

	Tlts.	Pnts.	Outs.	Misses.	S.A.
Gould	2	9	2	0	1
Mixsell	2	4	2	2	1

THIRD GAME.

Gould—
0 6 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 2 1 0 0 1 2 4—15
Mixsell—
1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 1 4 0 1 .—11

STROKE ANALYSIS.

	Tell-tales.	Place-ments.	Outs.	Misses.	Serv. Aces.
Gould	1	7	0	3	0
Mixsell	4	3	3	1	1

FOURTH GAME.

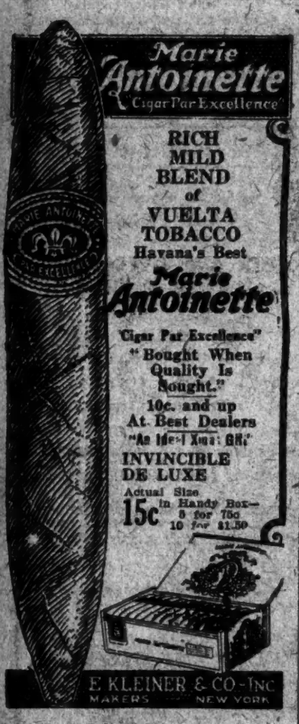
Gould .....1 0 0 1 3 1 2 0 0 1 2 5—15
Mixsell .....0 2 1 0 0 2 0 1 0 1 3 0 .—7

STROKE ANALYSIS.

	Tell-tales.	Place-ments.	Outs.	Misses.	Serv. Aces.
Gould	2	6	0	0	1
Mixsell	5	6	1	0	0

RECAPITULATION.

	Tell-tales.	Place-ments.	Outs.	Misses.	Serv. Aces.
Gould	9	24	5	4	2
Mixsell	12	23	10	4	2



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Providing he has no other engagement for that evening, William H. (Big Bill) Edwards, Collector of Internal Revenue, is assured an opportunity of witnessing the world's heavyweight championship bout between Jack Dempsey, the champion, and Bill Brennan, the challenger, in Madison Square Garden, Tuesday night. It seems that everybody is eager to have the income tax collector as a guest at the bout. Promoter Tex Rickard has received a number of requests for ticket reservations and in four of the communications the applicants request ringside seats so that they can take "Big Bill" along with them. One of the requests, selected at random yesterday by Promoter Rickard, read: "Be sure and get me two seats right near the ringside, for I have invited my friend, Bill Edwards, to be my guest."

YALE SQUASH TEAM MOVES TITLEWARD

Blue Racquet Wielders Defeat Crescent Seven and Advance in Class B Tourney.

CLASS B.—METROPOLITAN LEAGUE SQUASH TEN. NIS STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Yale Club	4	0	1000
Crescent A. C.	2	1	.667
D. K. E. Club	2	1	.667
Columbia Club	2	2	.500
Harvard Club	2	3	.400
Princeton Club	1	3	.250
Army and Navy Club	0	3	.000

The Yale Club squash tennis team strengthened its claim upon the top position in the Class B tournament of the Metropolitan League yesterday afternoon by defeating the Crescent A. C. seven by a score of four matches to three. The New Mooners had previously been undefeated and, on the surface of things, seemed to offer the principal obstacle in the Elis' victorious path. But, though they presented a strong team, they were forced to join the Harvard, Princeton and Columbia clubs among Yale's vanquished opponents. The Yale Club still has to meet the D. K. E. and Army and Navy clubs, but, from present appearances at least, they should finish the first half of the tournament with a clean slate.

In the two other matches played yesterday, the Harvard Club defeated the D. K. E. team by a score of 6 matches to 1 and the Columbia Club won over the Army and Navy Club, also by 6 to 1. The Army and Navy Club is still unable to muster a full team and was obliged to default three of its matches to Columbia. In the other four matches Scott, Putnam and Simmons won for the Blue and White racquet swingers in straight games, while Geoffrey Taylor won the lone victory for the militiary men. He defeated R. V. Mahon in two fast games, 15—8, 15—13.

H. S. Thorne was the sole winner for the Dekes against the wearers of the Crimson. He smashed his way to victory in three torrid games with E. P. Pierce, scoring 15—12, 14—16, 15—10. Murray Taylor dropped his first game with Jenkins of D. K. E. but breezed through the remaining two in one-sided fashion. Gawter, for Harvard, defeated Ward in a keenly contested three-game match, and Ritchie, Bingden, Hemingway and Talcott won for the Harvard Club on straight games.

In the Yale-Crescent series, Lindsay Bradford of the Elis battled with James Doig before he emerged the victor at 7—15, 15—9, 15—13. This was as close an encounter as could have been imagined, and it was anybody's match up to the final inning. Sterling, for Crescent, was likewise hard pressed to defeat Schermerhorn, the scores of 15—11, 10—15 and 15—12 telling the story of an hour's keen play that settled down at the end into an endurance test. Torrance won a game from Martin of Yale and then dropped the next one without much of a struggle when he saw the points mounting hopelessly against him. He finished with a brilliant display of around-the-court fireworks in a series of exceptionally long and brilliant rallies. Walker, Vietor and O'Brien won handily for the Yale Club, while McVaugh of Crescent vanquished Tomlinson in straight games.

The summaries:

Yale Club 4, Crescent A. C. 3.

Joseph Walker 3d, Yale, defeated Albert B. Baxter Jr., Crescent, 15—5, 15—4; N. F. Torrance, Crescent, defeated Clyde Martin, Yale, 15—10, 2—15, 15—11; Lindsay Bradford, Yale, defeated James Doig, Crescent, 7—15, 15—9, 16—15; J. A. Vietor, Yale, defeated C. W. Dinges, Crescent, 8—15, 15—6, 15—9; R. O'Brien, Yale, defeated H. W. Dangler, Crescent, 15—7, 16—9; M. M. Sterling, Crescent, defeated A. C. Schermerhorn, Yale, 15—11, 10—15, 15—12; K. F. McVaugh, Crescent, defeated J. C. Tomlinson Jr., Yale, 15—10, 15—10.

Columbia Club 6, Army and Navy Club 1.

Murray Taylor, Harvard, defeated F. A. Jenkins, D. K. E., 16—14, 15—1, 15—5; P. S. Ritchie, Harvard, defeated C. G. Davidson, D. K. E., 15—4, 15—7; F. M. Bingden, Harvard, defeated K. N. Hawkes, D. K. E., 12—11, 15—7; E. H. Hemingway, Harvard, defeated G. B. Brooks, D. K. E., 15—4, 15—11; C. J. Coulter, Harvard, defeated E. L. Ward, D. K. E., 15—9, 13—15, 15—7; H. S. Thorne, D. K. E., defeated E. P. Pierce, Harvard, 15—8, 14—16, 15—10; Hoobler, Princeton, Harvard, defeated F. M. Whelan, D. K. E., 15—7, 15—9.

Columbia Club 5, Army and Navy Club 1.

A. C. Scott, Columbia, defeated Commander Whiting, Army and Navy, 15—8, 15—2; W. H. Putnam, Columbia, defeated C. M. Carpenchan, Army and Navy, 15—10, 15—4, 15—11; F. M. Simmons Jr., Columbia, defeated Clifford Ayers, Army and Navy, 15—11, 15—11; Geoffrey Taylor, Army and Navy, defeated R. V. Mahon, Columbia, 15—8, 15—13; Donald McClave, H. R. Burt and W. Pulleyn, Columbia Club, won by default.

WILL BID FOR BIG BOUT.

Floyd Fitzsimmons Would Stage Dempsey-Carpentier Match.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Floyd Fitzsimmons, promoter of the Leonard-White and of the Dempsey-Miske championship fights, left tonight for New York to attempt to get the match between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier to be staged in his open air arena at Benton Harbor, Mich.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; for two-year-olds; purse $700. Bertha Minix 102 pounds, Scintillate 102, Siamese, 102, Tocsin 106, Two Eyes 109, Draftsman 109, Blue Flame 109.

SECOND RACE—Five and a half furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700. *Velie II. 102 pounds, *Red 107, *Timothy J. Hogan 107, Smite 107, *Jack Emerson 107, *Guardsman 107, *James G. 107, *McClelland 107. *Top Rung 120, Major Fiske 110, Beauclaire 112.

THIRD RACE—Five and a half furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700. *Pic 102 pounds, *Glen Fisher 107, *Waterford 107, Noblem a 112, Juanita III. 112, Jill 112, Ben James 112, Short Change 115.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; purse $700. *Bill Runley 105 pounds, *Kenesaw 106, *La Balefre 108, Pickle Fancy 113, Thornbloom 113, Bluesway 118, Fas de Chence 113.

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs; for three-year-olds and upward; purse $800. Fleur 104 pounds, Osgood 107, Brother Maclain 107, Miss Kit 108, Right Angle 115, Different Eyes 116.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and fifty yards; for three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700. *Wishing Dream 94 pounds, *Romper Stalwart 102, *La Kress 102, Dolph 103, Hands Off 107, *Duke of Shelby 107, Jullson 109.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track good.

A. A. U. BASKETBALL DATE.

March 7 Tentatively Fixed for Start of Championship Play.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—March 7, 1921, has been tentatively selected as the date for opening the annual basketball tournament of the Amateur Athletic Union, according to announcement today by Dr. A. C. Reilly, Director of the Kansas City Athletic Association. The tournament was awarded Kansas City several weeks ago, when the union met in New Orleans.

Dr. Reilly says more than sixty teams, representing all parts of the country, are expected here for the tournament.

HUEN SHOWS SPEED OVER HEAVY TRACK

Is Easy Winner of Two-Year-Old Dash at New Orleans—Three Favorites First.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 7.—The mudlarks had another inning at Jefferson Park this afternoon. The track was heavy, though the weather had improved sufficiently so that the attendance was considerably better. It was a day that provided its share of upsets, with two long shots registered among the winners, one at 20 to 1, but the favorites held their own, and three of them reported first to the judges.

A six-furlong dash for two-year-olds posed as the chief event, and this was won by P. L. Putnam's Huen. This colt displayed a decided liking for the going and raced in front all the way to win by nearly two lengths from Fantoche, with The Moor third among five starters.

Huen and Fantoche were both well backed, the former being a slight favorite at post time. Fantoche might have made it much more interesting for the winner at the finish, but for a slow start. He trailed the field for half a mile and did not begin to improve his position until rounding the turn, when he closed with a rush. Meantime Huen had taken a commanding lead and was not extended at any time to win with plenty to spare. The Moor evidently was not at his best in the heavy going, for after the first half mile he slowed up, and Fantoche passed him to take second by four lengths. Dr. Howard and Dora W. were as good as out of the race before going a quarter of a mile, and neither made an effort to keep up in the stretch run.

Gloom Is 12 to 1 Winner.

The opening race provided an upset when Gloom got home a head in front of Old McKenna in a six-furlong dash, to win at 12 to 1. Normandie, the favorite, finished third. Gloom was a badly neglected starter, and there were few cheers for him when he came back to the stands. However, he had all the speed of the race. He went to the front at the start and assumed what appeared to be a commanding lead, but he tired badly in the final furlong, and in the last hundred feet King had to put him to a hard drive to outlast Old McKenna, which closed with a belated rush after being permitted to drop out of it in the early stages. Normandie followed the pacemaker to the sixteenth pole, where Old McKenna sailed by to take second by four lengths.

The second race, for two-year-old fillies at five and a half furlongs, brought the other upset when Mary Fonso, fairly galloped home at 20 to 1 in a field of ten starters. She took the measure of Walkup by four lengths. American Maid and Ionia fought it out for the third honors and the former got the decision by a nose.

Segurola was the early pace maker and, showing his usual flight of speed, stepped out to a lead of about four lengths, but quit to a walk at the head of the stretch and was seventh when he crossed the line. Mary Fonso took the lead when Segurola folded up and drew away from the others so easily that she was being eased up right at the end. Walkup was much the best of the others and was well up throughout.

Third Race Close Brush.

There was a close decision in the third event, a six-furlong sprint, when Dr Campbell lasted just long enough to win by a head from Miss Kruter. Dr. Campbell showed high speed at the start and before turning out of the backstretch had opened up a gap of nearly four lengths and appeared to be an easy winner. In the stretch he tired suddenly and Miss Kruter, which had been second from the start, closed on him with a rush and was fast wearing him down. Jockey Smith managed to keep the winner going just long enough to nod to the judges. Though there were thirteen starters in the race, it was a two-horse test all the way, for none of the others got up close enough to be threatening. Miss Kruter finished eight lengths in front of Beau Brummell 2d.

Anticipate was the favored one in the fifth race, which was over the six-furlong route, and he won easily. He raced close to the pace made by Wildflower in the stretch and assumed the lead and drew clear to win by about two lengths. Brisk was third.

Harvey Smarr, which won a race yesterday, was sent back in the sixth event today at a mile and a furlong, but could not repeat. He yielded the victory to Spearlene, which won by three lengths, Harvey Smarr saving second from Warlike by a neck. The latter might have made a better showing under a stronger ride, but Smith allowed him to run all over the track. Spearlene disposed of John I. Day in the first half mile and then drew away handily.

Rufus Riley won an easy victory in the final race, at a mile, by defeating Gain de Cause by three lengths. Shoot On led to the stretch, where he weakened, and the winner closed with a rush.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; maidens; purse $600; six furlongs. Gloom, 107 pounds (Ping), 12 to 1, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, first; Old McKenna, 112 (Heinisch), 4 to 1, 1 to 1 and 1 to 2, second; Normandie, 115 (Stack), 7 to 5, 2 to 5 and 1 to 5, third. Time—1:18. Pindar, Tillotoy, Pewaukee, Tipford, Hereb and Tony also ran.

SECOND RACE—For two-year-olds; fillies; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Mary Fonso, 104 pounds (Roberts), 20 to 1, 7 to 1 and 4 to 1, first; Walk Up, 102 (Jordan), 30 to 1, 8 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; American Maid, 107 (McAtee), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time—1:11. Gladys Fading Star, Countess, Segurola, Ionia, Mary Erb and Ella Waldo also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Dr. Campbell, 110 pounds (Smith), 20 to 5, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, first; Miss Kruter, 106 (Roberts), 7 to 1, 3 to 2 and 6 to 5, second; Beau Brummel II., 107 (Burke), 4 to 1, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, third. Time—1:15. Mayor Galvin, Avery Trumbo, American Rose, Olive James, Annetta Teller, Early Sight, Enos, Plain Bill, Midian and Blue Bannock also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For two-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Huen, 112 pounds (Murray), 9 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 7, first; Fantoche, 113 (Lyke), 8 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 7, second; The Moor, 108 (Stack), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 1 to 2, third. Time—:17 4-5. Dr. Howard and Dora W. also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Anticipate, 109 pounds (Heinisch), 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and 1 to 6, first; Wild Flower, 101 (Roberts), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Brisk, 118 (McAtee), 8 to 1, 3 to 1 and 1 to 3, third. Time—1:17 3-5. Cheery, Sandy Mac, Blaise and Mose also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one and an eighth miles. Spearlene, 111 pounds (Richcreek), 15 to 5, 2 to 5 and 7 to 10, first; Harvey Smarr, 109 (Heinisch), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and 2 to 5, second; Warlike, 105 (Smith), 6 to 5, 2 to 5 and 7 to 10, third. Time—1:53. Quito, John I. Day, Judge Price and Sasin also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; one mile. Rufus Riley, 109 pounds (Crawford), 3 to 5, even and 1 to 4, first; Gain de Cause, 101 (Richcreek), 15 to 1, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Golden Dawn, 98 (Mooney), 7 to 2, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10, third. Time—1:45 4-5. Shoot On, Despina S., Pittar Patter, Berlin and Ground Swell also ran.

Weather cloudy; track heavy.

SUSPENDS RACE HORSES.

Trotting Association Takes Action on Wrongful Entries.

The National Trotting Association convened at the Murray Hill Hotel yesterday for its annual meeting and during the first session disposed of a number of cases that came before it for review. Several horses were suspended until money won by them out of their classes was returned, and one horse was expelled for being raced under the wrong name.

The bay gelding Robert Richmond was expelled for starting under the name of Billy Hedgewood at Cleveland. Suspensions were ordered for the horses Pacific Express, Madison Square, Frank, Woodcliff King and Bellisardine until the money won by racing out of their classes was returned.

The association will meet again today.

Chicago Welcomes Evers Back as Member of Cubs

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Chicago baseball fans welcomed Johnny Evers, former second baseman and now manager of the Cubs, back to the fold with a banquet and homecoming party here tonight. Close to 1,000 lovers of baseball from all walks of life attended. Much gratification was expressed by Evers over the receipt of the signed contract of Grover Cleveland Alexander, mainstay of his pitching staff, and word from Pitcher Jim Vaughn that he is in shape and expects to sign his new contract shortly.

ASKED TO ALLOT PROFITS.

Disbursement of Pimlico Mutuel Moneys Left With State Board.

In order to assure the public that it is not dominated by a spirit of commercialism, as might be suggested by the recent publication of the huge sums that passed through the mutuel machines at Pimlico, the Maryland Jockey Club has placed practically all of its business in the hands of the Maryland State Racing Commission. It is the plan to leave to the commission the decision of how much of a return the stockholders at Pimlico are entitled to on their investment and the manner in which any remaining profits may be disbursed.

This action was taken at the annual meeting of the stockholders in Baltimore, and was the direct result of the many reports that had become current as the result of the business done during the Autumn meeting. It was reported that an average of about $1,000,000 a day passed through the machines, the Maryland Jockey Club taking 5 per cent. and the breakage, which amounts to a fraction of 1 per cent.

The meeting adopted the following resolution, a copy of which was sent to the racing commission:

"Resolved by the stockholders of the Maryland Jockey Club that they concur in the view adopted in England and in France, and often expressed here, that the racing of horses is an institution for the development of the breed of horses, recognized as an essential industry in this country, and for the amusement of the public, rather than one for the profit of the race track owners.

"That they welcome the appointment of the racing commission with broad powers, enabling them to put into practice their principles.

"That whether compelled to or not, they will gladly submit to the racing commission the right to value their plant and necessary capital and to determine the return the stockholders should receive upon such necessary investment, any additional earnings to be expended under the guidance of the commission for the development of breeding and for improvements for the comfort of the patrons of racing."

AMERICA'S TENNIS TEAM AT AUCKLAND

Davis Cup Players Reach New Zealand After Pleasant Trip —All in Good Condition.

AUCKLAND, New Zealand, Dec. 7.—The American and Australasian lawn tennis teams which are to compete in the challenge round for the Davis Cup have arrived here. All the players are in good health.

The Americans arrived Monday night, and the Australasians were here to greet them. There was a public welcome given the players today, which was participated in by the Mayor, members of the Town Council and citizens.

The Americans had a pleasant voyage across the Pacific. William T. Tilden 2d has completely recovered from the effects of his recent breakdown. He divided sets with William M. Johnston in exhibition games played at Honolulu and Suva, in the Fiji Islands.

The championship court here is in perfect condition. The stands will seat 7,000 spectators.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse, $700; for three-year-old maidens; six furlongs. Puzzle 107 pounds, Montille 110, Ballyginen 102, Secretary 112, Mabel Josephine 107, Home Guard 110, Echoland 107.

SECOND RACE—Purse, $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Lady Mildred 107 pounds, Early Sight 110, John R. Roche 107, All Bright 110, Maiden Voter 99, Saltrance 110, Double Van 107, Ivan Mist 105, Dirty 104, Mormon 110, Blue Ides 104, Kesiah 107.

THIRD RACE—Purse, $600; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Hidden Ship 107 pounds, Amackassin 106, Pullux 110, Balaroa 110, Opportunity 113, Lucius 110, Back Bay 108, Betsy 110, Old Sinner 110, Sentimental 110, Cobalt Lass 110.

FOURTH RACE—Purse, $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Rounding Through 99 pounds, H. C. Basch 106, Sasin 108, Rib 99, Susan M. 104, Harvey Smarr 107, Tugs 108, Cockroach 107, Banyan 109.

FIFTH RACE—Purse, $1,000; for all ages; five and a half furlongs; St. Bernard Handicap. St. Quentin 114 pounds, Aegon 112, Uncle's Lassie 100, Bullet Proof 113.

SIXTH RACE—Purse, $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and seventy yards. Ground Swell, 111 pounds, Bombast 105, Ballybell 104, Thirteen 110, Miss Nell 96, Plenty 105, Verity 111, Medusa 102.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse, $700; claiming; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile. Crunes 108 pounds, Dalwood 105, Sparchlight III. 105, Lieutenant Ferris 110, Brookland 108, Peggy C. 96, Ben Hampson 108, Poultney 100, Spartan Boy 99, Margery 102, Nebraska 105, Highland Lad 113.

Weather clear; track heavy.

Rochester Elects Sullivan.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 7.—John T. Sullivan of Rochester was tonight elected captain of the University of Rochester football team for 1921. Sullivan has played quarterback for three years.

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HEAD OF DRY FORCES MAY TAKE CHARGE HERE

O'Connor Asks for Vacation and Suggests That Kramer Substitute for Him.

Prohibition Commissioner John F. Kramer of Washington, it became known last night, has been invited by Charles R. O'Connor, Federal Prohibition Director of New York, personally to relieve him for a vacation of a couple of weeks, effective next week. It is understood that the Commissioner is giving serious consideration to the suggestion and it is very likely will accept. Mr. O'Connor has been tied up with the work of supervising the permissive features of the prohibition law for ten months, and said last night that he felt he should have a vacation before the work of passing upon the applications for renewal of permits begins.

Efforts have been made in this State, in New Jersey and some other States by the Anti-Saloon League and other civic organizations to have prohibition directors refuse to grant new permits to wholesale liquor dealers or to renew the existing permits when they expire on Dec. 31. It is contended by them that there is no provision in the Volstead act which provides for a wholesale liquor dealer's permit. They ask that the sale of liquors at wholesale be restricted to wholesale druggists for medicinal purposes. Under the existing regulations of the Internal Revenue Department the directors cannot discontinue the issuance of wholesale liquor dealers' permits. The suggestion has been made that an amendment be obtained to the Volstead act specifically restricting permits to wholesale liquors to wholesale druggists. It is understood that the Anti-Saloon League will endeavor to get such an amendment through Congress.

The number of wholesale liquor dealers in this city next year, according to present indications, will be between 500 and 600, as against more than 1,700 originally issued. Only 889 permit holders have asked for renewals, and some of these will be disapproved by Director O'Connor. In New Jersey the number at present is 226.

AID FOR WOOL GROWERS.

British and Australian Capital to Assist Selling Houses.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 7.—At an important conference of persons interested in the wool trade held today it was agreed to form British and Australian wool realization associations to control and dispose of the Australian carry-over of wools amounting to 12,000,000 bales which are now in the hands of the British Government.

The association will raise a fund of £25,000,000 and assist wool selling houses financially, so as to enable them to make advances to needy wool growers.

SUES HUSBAND'S FRIEND.

Mrs. Steichen, Wife of Artist, Asks $200,000 for Alienation.

Testimony given before trial by Mrs. Clara Steichen in her suit against Marion H. Beckett, daughter of the late Surrogate Beckett, for $200,000 damages for alienating the affections of Edouard Steichen, an artist, was filed in the Supreme Court yesterday. She stated that she once attempted suicide because of her husband's attentions to a member of the Paris artists' colony, before her husband became attentive to Miss Beckett. She said that in 1911 her husband and Miss Beckett met, and later she was induced to permit Miss Beckett to become a member of her household in Voulangis, France.

"My husband and Miss Beckett often went out in the evenings in the Spring of 1914, so they said, to the Hill of Sevenne to hear the nightingales sing," Mrs. Steichen testified. "Once in August of that year, when an airplane came down, the defendant insisted that I was too ill to go to see it, and she and my husband went out with our two children. The children returned in half an hour, but the defendant did not come home until after midnight."

CZECHS RESENT CHARGES.

Call on Kililea to Prove "Red" Accusations or Resign.

The Czech Gymnastic Association Sokol, 420 East Seventy-first Street, known as the "Blue Turners," adopted resolutions at a meeting last night, requesting Mayor Hylan to compel Dr. Thomas R. Kililea of the Civil Service Commission of New York City, to produce proof of charges he made recently against the Blue Turners of spreading Bolshevist and anarchistic propaganda, or to resign from the Civil Service Commission.

The resolution says that eighty-three of its members served with Americans in the war, while others worked in munition plants, Red Cross and Liberty Loan drives; and that the building of the organization was offered during the war as a hospital or for other Governmental use.

Albert Hlavac, Jr., attorney, of 300 East Seventy-second Street, said that the meetings, books, and building of the association were open at all times to any one who wished to inspect them.

LAGUARDIA MOVES TO BRONX

President of Board of Aldermen Takes House on University Av.

F. H. LaGuardia, President of the Board of Aldermen, has moved from Manhattan to the Bronx, it was learned yesterday, which will give that borough two members of the Board of Estimate. Mr. and Mrs. LaGuardia have taken a small house in University Avenue opposite the site formerly occupied by Berkeley Oval.

Friends of Mr. LaGuardia said there was no political significance in the Aldermanic President's change of residence, but that it was caused by his desire to obtain a separate house for Mrs. LaGuardia and their daughter, six months old.

SEEK COMMUNIST FIREBUGS.

Nine Buildings, Including Several Schools, Burned in One County.

Special to The New York Times.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 7.—Thirty-two members of the State Constabulary are engaged in scouring Fayette City and the Bellevernon district of Fayette County in an effort to apprehend an organized gang engaged in burning school buildings and farm properties. The latest conflagration reported was the destruction of a ten-room building at Star Junction early on Sunday, with a loss of $35,000, the ninth building to be burned in a month. There have been twenty fires in that district in six weeks, with losses of more than $300,000.

Department of Justice agents and Fayette County officers arrested John Barovitch and Joe Gobolie at Brownsville on Monday in connection with the fires. Literature found at the men's homes indicates affiliation with the communist movement. Barovitch was a regular correspondent of a Chicago communist organ.

The school boards of five townships are confronted by the problem of handling 2,000 children, now out of schools. It has been necessary to charter special trains to carry them to old abandoned country schools. Citizens of the townships have organized and the roads are patrolled each night.

"GANG" MENACES WOMAN.

Demands $5,000 Under Threat of Explosion—Police Trap Fails.

Special to The New York Times.

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., Dec. 7.—It was learned here today that Mrs. A. Butler Duncan of the "Meadows" on last Thursday received a letter signed "the Gang" and threatening to "blow things up generally" unless she put $5,000 in bills o na gate post in a dark spot near the Methodist Church in this village the next day. Mrs. Duncan, the widow of A. Butler Duncan, once a Princeton football star and later occupied with extensive Western ranching interests, consulted with District Attorney Charles R. Weeks, County Detective Ferdinand Miller and two constables.

A decoy letter stuffed with paper was placed at the designated spot and the four officials kept watch, but "the gang" did not appear.

Before her second marriage, Mrs. Duncan was the widow of James L. Kernochan, New York banker and society man. She is prominent socially on Long Island.

READY FOR WINTER SNOWS.

Whalen Tells Truckmen How He Plans to Keep Streets Clean.

Plans which the city is now laying to fight the Winter snowstorms were described by Commissioner of Plant and Structures Grover A. Whalen to members of the Merchant Truckmen's Bureau last evening. With 500 pieces of machinery, including 50 5-ton snow plows and 800 trucks, the Commissioner said that it would be impossible for a snowstorm to "get ahead" of the snow-fighting forces.

"We are making use of the Holt caterpillar tractors for our plows," he said. "They will be housed in fire stations, and will respond to calls from the Street Cleaning Department just as fire apparatus responds to alarms. As soon as snow begins to fall heavily they will patrol the streets in pairs. By districting the city, we shall have each pair making a complete round of its section once every hour. We are selecting to run the plows and trucks members of the Police and Fire Departments who have been chauffeurs or mechanics."

Commissioner Whalen also told of his plans for a ferry line from Manhattan to Stapleton, S. I. "To establish this ferry," he went on, "the Department of Plant and Structures requires a bond issue of $1,500,000. We must build a terminal on Staten Island and construct three fast boats, each with capacity for fifty vehicles, with room for passengers on the upper decks. The limit of capacity has been reached on the present Staten Island line."

A SUMMONS IS HIS REWARD.

Chauffeur Returns Part of Gems for Which Woman Offered $1,000.

An advertisement inserted in the newspapers by Pauline Turner of 3,537 Broadway, offering $1,000 reward for the return of jewelry valued at $15,000 lost in a taxicab on Broadway, between Thirtieth and 145th Streets, Monday, was answered last night by Matthew F. Watson of 2,456 Van Alst Avenue, the driver of the taxicab. He turned over to the woman two diamond bracelets valued at $6,000, which were in a chamois bag. The remaining jewelry, an eight carat and a three and a half carat diamond ring, valued at $9,000, which were wrapped in a handkerchief, were missing.

A detective was called to the house by the woman and served Watson with a summons for violation of a police regulation in failing to immediately report to the nearest police station the finding of the jewels. This was the sole reward received by Watson.

The woman made no complaint against the chauffeur. She said the missing jewelry was insured.

BIG STEEL ORDERS COMING.

Railroads Entering Pittsburgh to Buy 388,000 Tons of Rails.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 7.—Orders for 388,000 tons of steel rails have been placed or are about to be given by the railroads entering Pittsburgh. At the prevailing rate of $47 a ton the orders will total $18,236,000.

The contracts include Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, 85,000 tons, order placed yesterday; Pennsylvania Railroad, 150,000 tons, contemplated; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad, 15,000 tons, requisitioned; New York Central Lines, 135,000 tons, requisitioned; Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railroad Company, 3,000 tons, requisitioned.

One of the railroad officials here said today that the big business of the nation in 1921 would come from the railroads.

Wants Treaty to Protect Salmon.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Under a resolution introduced today by Senator McNary, Republican, of Oregon, President Wilson would be asked to negotiate a treaty with Great Britain providing for co-operation between the United States and Canada for the protection of salmon fisheries in Pacific waters. Wasteful methods of taking fish, particularly in the Territory of Alaska, made such a treaty necessary, the resolution said.

Women's Neckwear Doing Well.

Reports from the women's neckwear trade indicate that more than one retail buyer of these goods was caught napping by the active demand for them that has sprung up. While merchandise of this kind always does well during the holiday season, it is said, some buyers held off so long in placing their orders that the Christmas rush caught them with their stocks in poorer shape than for some time. The result has been a number of requests for rush shipments, not all of which can be made in full at this late date.

Fire in Lucca's Cafe.

Fire, starting in the kitchen of Lucca's Cafe, 108 and 110 West Forty-fourth Street, spread to the Summer Garden in the rear and destroyed the lattice work and furniture, estimated at $1,000.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

ATLANTA, Ga.—J. Silvey & Co.; R. K. Rambo, domestics; 72 Leonard.
AUSTIN, Texas—E. M. Scarborough & Sons; L. Scarborough, representing; 120 W. 32d.
BALTIMORE—American Wholesale Corp.; M. G. Frasier, laces, embroideries, muslin underwear; 384 4th Av.
BALTIMORE—Eisenberg's; Miss K. Cohen, jobs waists, extra size house dresses, petticoats, sweaters; 37 W. 26th, 7th floor.
BALTIMORE—American Wholesale Corp.; A. Dieterle, linens, blankets, comforts; 384 4th Av.
BALTIMORE—Minch & Eisenberg; H. W. Chalmers, carpets, furniture; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—Hutzler Brothers; Miss J. Ruskin, gloves, umbrellas; 362 4th Av.; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—Goldenberg Brothers; J. Wolf, women's coats, suits, furs; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—L. Greif & Bro.; D. L. Greif, clothing materials; 200 5th Av.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—The Charm Blouse Shop, Inc.; M. Gross, jobs waists, silk underwear; 142 W. 26th, 3d floor.
BINGHAMTON—Haskell & Davids; J. Davids, uniforms, pants; 256 Church St.
BOSTON—Chandler Co., Inc.; Miss J. Canty, cotton waists, underwear, kimonos; 230 5th Av.; McAlpin.
BOSTON—Leopold Morse Co.; P. H. St. Armour, boys' clothing, hats, furnishing goods; 13 Astor Place.
BOSTON—Fame Stores; Mr. Schwartz, Spring dresses; 323 W. 37th.
BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; Upstairs—Mrs. Brolund, inexpensive dresses; Miss Golding, misses' inexpensive dresses; Miss Wardwell, misses' dresses; Miss Goodman, misses' skirts; Miss Jansen, toilet articles, beaded bags. Basement—Mrs. Kasanof, women's neckwear; Mr. Day, waists; Mr. O'Brien, women's, misses' coats, suits; Mr. Ring, women's, misses' dresses; Miss Lynch, petticoats; Mr. Hahn, leather goods; Mr. Tobey, shoes; Miss Callahan, silk and muslin underwear; Mr. Quinn, boys' clothing; 225 5th Av.
BOSTON—Gordon Mfg. Co.; H. Gordon, women's dresses; Longacre.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; Upstairs—Miss E. Lewis, art needlework; Miss C. Mulcahy, umbrellas. Basement—Miss I. Marcus, children's furs, junior coats, girls' and junior dresses; A. Cohen, coats, skirts, dresses; Miss R. Rice, hosiery, knit underwear; Miss E. Keltner, muslin underwear, bathrobes, petticoats, infants' wear; 200 5th Av., Room 604.
BOSTON—C. F. Hovey Co.; Miss J. O'Callaghan, div. mgr. women's ready-to-wear; Miss L. O'Callaghan, waists, sweaters; Mr. J. Zimmerman, women's suits; Miss A. Murphy, women's dresses; 1,161 B'way, 2d floor.
BOSTON—Jordan Marsh Co.; upstairs; E. J. Cutcliffe, white goods, linens, basement; Miss A. V. Burns, women's dresses; P. J. Fleming, cottons, linens, blankets; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—Peerless Petticoat Co.; S. Andrews, silks, jerseys, taffetas, cottons; 1,182 B'way; Room 607.
BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; Miss A. A. Murphy, women's dresses; Miss A. G. Terry, misses' suits, dresses; Miss A. Adams, skirts; Miss A. G. Liston, girls' coats, dresses; Mrs. G. E. Jones, waists; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—Butler's, Inc.; S. Solomon, millinery, 432 4th Av.
BRIDGEPORT, Conn.—Howland D. G. Co.; J. D. Granfield, men's furnishings, knit underwear, hosiery, handkerchiefs, umbrellas, gloves; W. E. Tiffany, women's, misses' coats, suits, dresses, furs, waists, sweaters; L. E. Withstanley, linens, cotton goods, domestics, blankets, linings; 404 4th Av.
BRISTOL, Tenn.; E. W. King Co.; D. E. Brumit, notions, ready-to-wear; 256 Church.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—W. Hengerer Co.; Miss E. Dean, waists; 2 West 37th.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—H. Weil & Co.; H. H. Weil, clothing materials; 200 5th Av.
BUTTE, Mont.—The Symons D. G. Co.; H. Symons, women's ready-to-wear; 141 5th Av., 5th floor.
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Miller Bros.; L. J. Storie, jobs ready-to-wear; 1 E. 33d.
CHICAGO—Mandel Bros.; I. J. McElwee, men's, boys' clothing; basement—Mr. Raredon, men's, boys' clothing; Miss Nugent, dresses; 13 E. 22d.
CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; J. H. Johnson, blankets (wholesale); 1,107 B'way.
CINCINNATI—Empire Garment Co.; M. Schwab, dress materials; Pennsylvania.
CINCINNATI—McAlpin Co.; Miss T. Krug, blouses; 23 E. 26th.
CLEVELAND—Halle Bros.; B. G. Rathal, men's furnishings, silk and cotton shirts, basement; 230 5th Av.
CLEVELAND—May Co.; J. A. Swanson, basement dresses; A. Levy, muslin, silk, flannelette underwear; 37 W. 26th, 9th floor.
CLEVELAND—I. J. Stotter, ready-to-wear; Cumberland.
CLEVELAND—The Bailey Co.; D. Amdur, waists, muslin underwear, flannel gowns, children's dresses, bloomers, house dresses, petticoats, sweaters; 37 W. 26th, 7th floor.
CLEVELAND—The Root & McBride Co.; S. M. Bond, President; J. B. Callow, wash goods, prints; J. S. Littlefield, white goods, linens, hdkfs.; A. Klatheke, floor coverings, draperies; G. F. Smith, domestics; 72 Leonard.
CLEVELAND—The Bailey Co.; H. R. Tyroler, jobs dresses; J. Kaplan, plaid skirts; 37 W. 26th, 7th floor.
CLEVELAND—Nussbaum-Grossman Co.; I. Nussbaum, notions, jewelry, corsets, leather goods; Latham.
CORINTH, Miss.—Weaver Mfg. Co.; R. M. Weaver, paints, materials; 43 Leonard; Pennsylvania.
DALLAS, Texas—Higginbotham, Bailey, Logan Co.; J. S. McCarty, Spring dresses; 395 B'way.
DAYTON—Rike-Kumler Co.; Miss M. Rankin, juniors', misses', women's dresses; 225 5th Av.
DAYTON, Ohio—Pike-Kumler Co.; S. Bourne, women's ready-to-wear; 225 5th Av.
DETROIT—J. L. Hudson Co.; R. H. Merschel, girls', juniors' dresses, coats, middy blouses, women's sweaters; Miss Davenport, dresses; Miss Kiekenveld, advertising; 225 5th Av.
DETROIT—The J. L. Hudson Co.; H. Hunt, stationery; 225 5th Av.; Pennsylvania.
DOLGEVILLE, N. Y.—M. Geenis, holiday goods; Commodore.
HARTFORD—G. Fox & Co.; S. H. Polman, leather goods, jewelry, novelties, basement; 120 W. 32d.
HARTFORD—Brown, Thompson & Co.; H. H. Chapman, shoes; 230 5th Av.
INDIANAPOLIS—L. S. Ayres & Co.; M. Malone, mdse. mgr.; Miss Mansfield, stouts' ready-to-wear; Miss S. Parrish, underwear (no petticoats); 225 5th Av.
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Emery, Bird, Thayer D. G. Co.; A. R. Wallace, silks, dress goods, ready-to-wear; 25 Madison Av.
KANSAS CITY—J. Taylor D. G. Co.; Miss N. Dunlap, infants' wear; 200 5th Av.
LANCASTER, Pa.—Hager & Bro.; L. U. Groff, wool dress goods, silks; 404 4th Av.
LANCASTER, Pa.—United Stores Co.; Mrs. Scheid, cheap Spring coats, suits and dresses; 115 W. 30th, 15th floor.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—Altheimer D. G. Co.; R. H. Woolfolk, jobs coats, suits; 3 E. 28th, 1st floor.
LYNCHBURG, Va.—J. W. Ould Co.; S. R. Hill, hosiery, knit underwear; 43 Leonard.
MERIDEN, Conn.—Ives, Upham & Rand Co.; J. B. Martin, linens, white goods, wash goods, domestics, blankets; 404 4th Av.
MERIDEN, Conn.—A. S. Thomas; J. J. Hilleck, notions, furn. goods, hosiery; 220 5th Av.; Somerset.
MIDDLETOWN, Conn.—J. H. Bunce & Co.; W. W. Daniels, domestics, linens; 404 4th Av.
MILWAUKEE—Milwaukee Apparel Co.; L. Elsas, silk waists; Miss Reigel, jobs dresses; 276 5th Av., Room 603.
NEW HAVEN—Shartenberg & Robinson Co.; J. F. Burns, domestics, cottons; 404 4th Av.
NORFOLK, Va.—Miller, Rhoads & Swartz, Inc.; Miss K. Cohn, women's neckwear; 432 4th Av.
NORFOLK, Va.—Schreier & Son; E. Schreier, millinery; Pennsylvania.
NORWICH, Conn.—The Porteous & Mitchell Co.; J. M. Lee, hosiery, gloves, knit underwear, ribbons, handkfs.; 432 4th Av.
OMAHA—Orkin Bros.—J. Orkin, jobs sweaters; 276 5th Av., Room 603.
PARKERSBURG—Brown-Kendall Co.; J. A. Brown, floor coverings; 256 Church.
PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; Miss R. Shenk, jobs novelty skirts; J. Hirschl, jobs girls' low-priced serge dresses; Miss Kerman, jobs silk underwear; 120 W. 32d.
PHILADELPHIA—Blauner's; Miss Lowenthal, cheap tricotine, satin dresses; 120 W. 32d.
PHILADELPHIA—Frank & Seder; H. L. Bernbaum, genl. mdse.; 16 W. 36th.
PHILADELPHIA—Lit Bros.; Miss M. Schwartz, women's bathrobes; 1,261 B'way.
PHILADELPHIA—Lit Bros.; Mr. Briedenbach, men's neckwear; Mr. Feldman, jobs basement coats; 261 Broadway.
PHILADELPHIA—M. Miller, Spring dresses; 1,270 B'way, Room 418.
PHILADELPHIA—Perlberg & Cooper; S. S. Cooper, Spring coats, suits; 25 W. 34th, Room 502.
PHILADELPHIA—Stewart's; Miss B. Koenig, dresses, basement; 120 W. 32d.
PHILADELPHIA—Kohn & Smith Mfg. Co.; M. Smith, waists, dresses; 33 West 34th, Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA—Largman Bros.; J. Largman, men's neckwear materials; 200 5th Av.; Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA—Cohn Bros.; S. Sach, women's suitings; 1,261 B'way.
PHILADELPHIA—Lerner Bros.; J. C. Lerner, dresses, jerseys, suits; 161 W. 33d; Imperial.
PHILADELPHIA—Maxwell & Potts; W. J. Maxwell, dress goods; Breslin.
PHILADELPHIA—M. Norwick & Son; H. A. Norwick, suits, piece goods; 1,183 B'way; Aberdeen.
PHILADELPHIA—Auerbach Bros.; C. Auerbach, overall materials; Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA—N. Snellenburg; C. Dillemuth, dress goods, wash goods; 1,261 B'way.
PHILADELPHIA—Ginsberg Bros.; J. Ginsberg, overall materials; The Annex.
PHILADELPHIA—Gimbel Brothers; Miss A. Guggenheim, umbrellas; B'way and 33d.
PHILADELPHIA—M. Haber & Co.; M. Haber, dress goods; 35 W. 34th; Breslin.
PHILADELPHIA—Warewell Co.; A. Schott, work shirts and flannel shirts; 359 B'way.
PORTLAND, Me.—Eastman Bros. & Bancroft Co.; J. B. Armsby, silks, dress goods, wash goods, domestics, linens; 404 4th Av.
PORTLAND, Me.—A. W. Eustis Co.; J. G. Moseley, Rowers, leathers; The Annex.
PORTLAND, Me.—Eastman Bros. & Bancroft; Miss I. Jardine, dresses; Mrs. C. Webster, waists; J. B. Armsby, silks, velvets, dress, white and wash goods; 1,270 B'way.
PITTSBURGH—Enterprise Cloak & Suit Co.; M. Eiseman, cloaks, suits, waists, dresses; Pennsylvania.
PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder; S. Finkelhor, mdse. manager; Miss I. R. Strong, dresses; 16 West 36th.
PITTSBURGH—Mayer, Jonasson & Co.; Miss G. Coyle, underwear, petticoats, kimonos, negligees; 100 West 32d.
PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder; I. Seder, mdse. manager; 16 West 36th.
PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; S. Simon, notions, leather goods, novelties, jewelry; 116 West 32d.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; C. Israel, men's, boys' sweaters; 404 4th Av.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann's Dept. Store; Mrs. F. Hale, art embroideries; 1,261 B'way.
PITTSBURGH—Lewin-Neiman Co.; B. Neiman, Miss Killen, Spring suits, coats; 1,261 B'way, Room 1000.
PROVIDENCE—J. Samuels & Bro.; C. Marx, shoes; 120 W. 32d.
READING, Pa.—Kline Eppihimer & Co.; B. E. Heckman, carpets, rugs; 432 4th Av.; Brostell.
RICHMOND—Dreyfus Co.; Miss L. Vaughan, cheap silk gowns and teddies; 212 5th Av., 13th floor.
RICHMOND—Dreyfus Co.; S. Hasel, jobs coats, suits, dresses; 212 5th Av., 13th floor.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Duffy-Powers Co.; N. Patterson, silks, dress goods; 1,201 Broadway.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Duffy-Powers Co.; B. Westheimer, men's shop aprons; Miss M. Ernstone, jobs infants' knit goods, children's dresses, jersey leggings; 1,261 Broadway.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—B. Forman Co.; Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Brugler, Mrs. Miller, dresses; S. Rosenberg, coats, suits; 225 5th Av.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co.; F. S. Austin, holiday goods; 432 4th Av.
SALT LAKE CITY—Walker Bros. D. G. Co.; T. Hunter, shoes; 303 5th Av.
ST. LOUIS—J. Beckman, Inc.; Mr. J. Beckman, taffeta, canton crepe and georgette silks; 119 West 25th St., 9th floor.
ST. LOUIS—Famous & Barr Co.; T. D. Page, basement, dresses; 67 West 26th, 8th floor.
ST. LOUIS—Reinfeld, German & Mann; Y. Mann, coats, suits, dresses; 3 West 29th, Room 607.
ST. LOUIS—Ely & Walker D. G. Co.; S. A. Rahman, hosiery; 58 Worth.
ST. LOUIS—Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney; Miss Lauenstein, dresses; 225 5th Av.
ST. LOUIS—Stewart's; A. S. Harris, jobs coats, suits, dresses; 276 5th Av.
SALISBURY, N. C.—J. Feldman & Sons; J. Feldman, white goods; Imperial.
TOLEDO, Ohio—Mayer Bros.; Maurice Mayer, jobs coats and dresses; 117 West 33d St., 3d floor.
TOLEDO—Lamson Bros. Co.; Mrs. A. L. Tindolph, dressmaking; 230 5th Av.; McAlpin.
TROY, N. Y.—W. Barker Co.; W. Barker, linens, piece goods; 239 B'way; Longacre.
UTICA, N. Y.—Fashion Shop; Mr. Stein, jobs dresses; 40 West 27th.
WASHINGTON—Michael's; E. B. Nager, jobs dresses, velour, check velour, serges, tricotine; 3 E. 28th, 1st floor.
WASHINGTON—Woodward & Lothrop; Miss E. Hart, misses' wear, Palm Beach wear; Mrs. M. F. La Vake, Palm Beach wear, wraps, dresses; Mrs. M. Allen, special size wear; H. A. Leaf, mdse. mgr.; 334 4th Av.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Hecht Co.; Miss M. Friedman, infants' wear, jobs infants' coats; Miss Langenkamp, jobs coats, dresses; 120 West 32d.
WASHINGTON—M. Goldenberg; H. J. Sanger, upholstery goods, flannels, blankets; 212 5th Av.
WASHINGTON—F. R. Jelleff, Inc.; Mrs. M. Goodman, coats, suits; Pennsylvania.
WHEELING, West Va.—G. E. Stifel Co.; W. D. Flood, domestics, white goods, embroideries; McAlpin.
WHEELING, W. Va.—Stone & Thomas; J. G. Burns, house furn. goods, china trunks; 1,270 Broadway.
WILKES-BARRE—Wilkes-Barre D. G. Co.; J. Williams, linens, domestics; 22 E. 26th.
WILMINGTON, Del.—Topkis Bros. Co.; L. Topkis, piece goods; A. Topkis, mfg. dept.; 350 B'way.
WORCESTER, Mass.—John C. MacInnes Co.; George L. Moran, dress goods, linings, wash goods; E. M. Bartlett, upholstery goods, rugs; 432 4th Av.
WORCESTER, Mass.—J. C. McInnes Co.; J. D. Robertson, cloaks, suits, furs, underwear, corsets; 432 4th Av.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—Geo. L. Fordyce Co.; D. B. Jones, men's furnishings, umbrellas; Miss J. Miles, women's, children's hosiery, underwear, corsets; 404 4th Av.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—Strouss-Hirshberg Co.; Miss McNicholas, corsets, brassieres; 1,150 B'way, 8th floor.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—Stewart's; M. Kivewitz, cotton dresses, waists; McAlpin.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC LOWER.

But With Seasonal Drop It Exceeds November Records for Two Years.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The car service division of the American Railway Association tonight announced that the number of cars loaded with revenue freight on the railroads of the United States during the week which ended on Nov. 20 was 880,928, or 26,000 more than were loaded during the corresponding week of 1919 and 25,000 more than during the corresponding week of 1918, according to the weekly report compiled by the car service division. The number of cars loaded, however, was 39,000 less than during the preceding week.

While there was a considerable decrease in the volume of freight traffic which the railroads were called upon to handle in November as compared with the record month of October, the car loading has continued to exceed that for the corresponding period of the last two years, as it has since the first week of August. A reduction in the amount of traffic is seasonable for November and December.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The Kirschenbaum Corporation of Baltimore and Epstein, Henning & Co. of Nashville, Tenn., have taken new quarters on the third floor of the Astor Court Building, 25 West Thirty-third Street. J. Eberhardt, who was formerly with the American Wholesale Corporation of Baltimore, is in charge.

The twenty-fourth semi-annual convention of the International Association of Garment Manufacturers will begin at the Waldorf-Astoria today at 10 A. M. A number of important trade topics will be discussed.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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CHARLES SHONGOOD sells today, Wednesday, December 8, 1920, at 10 A. M., at the Bara Auto Painting Co., 340 West 54th Street, N. Y. C., all the right, title and interest, if any, in and to a certain Hudson Automobile 1916 Model.

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By C. A. Chekrezi, representative of Albania in the United States. One of forty features in December CURRENT HISTORY MAGAZINE, on news stands, profusely illustrated.—Advt.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

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United States Auctioneer for the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York will sell at public auction on the premises of the

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THE BUSINESS WORLD

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The quotations are for six months' paper.

The Demand Is Improving.

Among the things which have been in better demand here of late, according to salesmen handling them, are mechanical devices used in offices, such as check-writing and protecting machines, dictating machines, bookkeeping appliances, &c. Sales of typewriters also are said to be improving. The better call for the articles enumerated is said to indicate returning confidence on the part of many concerns which until recently had been practicing rigid economies in several directions.

Not All of Them Are Honest.

Not all of the bargains that are offered to the public these days really are what they profess to be. Particularly is this the case with furs. According to an experienced local fur man the "reduced" goods offered by some of the smaller retailers, especially those who operate stores of the "two-price" type—asking and selling—are not really marked down at all. Excepting for precious stones, the man in question said, there is no merchandise on which the average person can be more easily fooled as to values than on furs. Several of the less scrupulous retailers, he asserted, have apparently taken advantage of this fact.

Raw Silks Show Some Decline.

Stocks of raw silk in storage in the principal warehouses of this city on Dec. 1 showed a decline of about 1,500 bales from the total held here at the beginning of last month, according to figures compiled by the Statistical Bureau of the Silk Association of America and issued yesterday. In actual figures the respective amounts were 49,807 and 48,357 bales. Among the silks held here at the opening of the current month were 333 bales of Italian, 36,965 bales of Japanese and 11,059 bales of all other varieties.

Auction of Overcoatings.

The announcement that the American Woolen Company would sell through Burling, Dole & Co., auctioneers, its entire surplus of overcoatings did not find the clothing trade unprepared. It was considered probable that such an auction would be held, but some surprise was expressed at the small quantity involved—some 8,860 pieces. The common understanding among buyers is that the surplus of suitings is considerably larger than what is represented in the overcoating sale, estimates running as high as 40,000 pieces. The trade awaits a similar announcement of a suiting auction, but, from information close to the company, such an auction will not be held. The trade is much interested in the overcoating auction, which starts on Dec. 14, but some doubt is expressed of the ability to use the materials in the present season.

Gray Goods Were Quiet.

Snap to trading in the local gray goods market was again lacking yesterday. Some December deliveries of print-cloths were sold. Eight cents was paid for 38½-inch 64-60s, for instance, and 7 cents bought 38½-inch 60-48s. In the sheetings, 5-yard goods brought 7½ cents for shipment during this month and next, and 5.50s were let out by sellers at 6¾ cents. In the specialties some trading was done in 39-inch 64-104, 4.20-yard sateens, which brought 13¼ cents.

Better Feeling in Clothing.

Close observers of clothing conditions noted an improvement in feeling during the last week. No special grounds are given for taking a more optimistic view of the situation, outside of the idea that since conditions could not become much worse they must grow better. Various factors claim to have found a more satisfactory business than they anticipated, and in some quarters enough business is expected to keep factories going during the short manufacturing season permitted. Contact with visiting buyers has, it is said, proved to be a less gloomy proceeding than it was considered would be the case, and the wholesalers are figuring on brighter prospects with the turn of the year.

Stores to Aid Starving Children.

Following a conference with Herbert Hoover, directing relief work in Europe, representatives of the National Retail Dry Goods Association are considering means whereby money may be raised to succor the starving children abroad. The fund required is $35,000,000. Various suggestions have been made to the stores, which may be called upon either to act as collecting agencies or to give a small percentage of their sales on a definite date.

Favor Durable Silk Shirts.

There is a very well defined tendency among responsible silk shirt manufacturers to produce goods which will give long service. It is felt that a good deal of the odium attached to such garments was created by the flimsy materials used when they were in such demand. In searching for more durable fabrics, twill silks have been hit upon as a satisfactory construction, and quite a nice demand has developed on them. Shirts made of these silks can be bought to retail at $7 or $7.50, which is thought to be an attractive price, as the present retail range is from $5 to about $10.50. Fibre silk and fibre silk mixtures are also getting more attention.

Holiday Business Showing Up.

Retailers who have expressed an opinion on the holiday business so far obtained seemed pleased with results. While prices have been reduced somewhat, there is something of a parity between values offered now and those of last year at this time. The peak of prices had not been reached until some months after last Christmas, although public extravagance was then at its height. A tendency at present toward giving more useful gifts has been noted, but it is pointed out that the useful article often costs more than one that gives merely temporary pleasure. From developments in holiday buying the retailers feel that, while certain sections have felt the results of business depression, general prosperity has not been entirely lost.

BUSINESS RECORDS

In Town.

H. ALTMAN & SINGER—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Herman and Isaac Altman and Benjamin Singer, copartners, trading as H. Altman & Singer, manufacturers of furs and skins, at 114 West 26th St., by these creditors: R. Freedman, $1,350; T. Saslaw, $5,325, and B. R. Jacoby, $1,369. Judge Knox has appointed J. Henry Bleistein receiver, in $10,000 bond. It is stated that the liabilities are in the neighborhood of $150,000, and the assets about $70,000, including merchandise which cost about $30,000 but is rapidly depreciating in value.

ISAAC ALTMAN—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Isaac Altman, dealer and manufacturer of furs and skins, at 148 West 28th St., by these creditors: H. Posner, $2,282; H. L. Klein, $1,000, and N. Tadross, $2,408. It is stated that the assets are about $100,000.

BAITLER BROS. & STEIN—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Charles and Simon Baitler and Samuel Stein, copartners, trading as Baitler Bros. & Stein, jobbers of sweaters, at 393 Broadway, by R. Weinstein, a creditor for $2,500. Judge Knox has appointed Frank E. Stripe receiver, in $5,000 bond. It is stated that the liabilities are about $50,000 and the assets about $15,000.

BERNARD HERMAN—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Bernard Herman, manufacturer of dresses, at 13 West 31st St., by these creditors: F. R. Biltz, $15; F. Harrison, $250, and J. F. Rothschild, $500. An assignment was also made to Morris B. Arnold.

MERIT BINDING CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Hyman B. Lefkowitz, trading as Merit Binding Co., at 158 Green St., by these creditors: Rodstein & Hyman, $1,000; Henry D. Schmidt, $1,000, and Max Gordon, $400. It is stated that the liabilities are about $15,000 and the assets about $4,000.

LORNE W. SMITH—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Lorne W. Smith, merchant tailor, at 103 West Forty-seventh Street, by these creditors: M. Fischer Sons & Co., $355; F. H. Calcott & Co., $344, and Taylor-Sayles Co., Inc., $210.

BURG & BRONSTEIN, INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Burg & Bronstein, Inc., manufacturers of dresses, at 662 Sixth Avenue, by P. E. Gould, a creditor for $600. An assignment was made on Dec. 6.

AMERICAN OUTFITTING CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Henry H. Alpern, trading as American Outfitting Co., at 2,146 Seventh Avenue, by these creditors: Gottfried Brothers, $95; Bernstein, Rosen & Gitlin, $412, and Tex Style Clothing Co., $234. Liabilities are said to be about $5,000 and assets about $1,000.

PEERLESS BABY CARRIAGE CO.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Peerless Baby Carriage Co., manufacturing baby carriages, at 710 East Tremont St., by these creditors: Emanuel Brooks, $320, and Lillian Boldberg, $170.

TRAYMORE RESTAURANT CO., INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Traymore Restaurant Co., Inc., at 43 West 38th St., by these creditors: B. Siegel, $200; J. Primarck, $650, and G. Weiss, $138. Liabilities said to be about $10,000 and assets about $5,000. Judge Knox has appointed Owin S. M. Tierney receiver, in $2,500 bond.

HARRY REMIS, manager, residing at 718 East 176th St., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $3,850 and no assets. There are only two creditors, National Butchers & Drovers Bank, a secured creditor for $3,000, and Henry Sampson, a judgment creditor, for $850, both claims being in connection with Reliable Skirt Co., of which petitioner states he was a member.

LOUIS SHARENOW—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Sharenow, woolens, at 871 East 180th St., by these creditors: Rose Cohen, $924; M. Jacobs, $67, and Chester Paley & Co., $119.

UNEEDA CLOTHES SHOP, INC.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Uneeda Clothes Shop Inc., at 165 Seventh Av., by these creditors: Miriam Taft, $258; Bernstein, Rosen & Gitlin, $180, and Michael Walker, $268. Liabilities are said to be about $5,000 and assets about $7,000.

BORIS ABRAMOWITZ, residing at 825 East 95th St., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,131 and no assets.

JACOB SKIGEN, paints, at 367 East 8th St., has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $7,078 and assets of $1,690, consisting of stocks, $1,000; accounts, $500, and fixtures, $190.

GOLDMAN & EISMAN, silks and woolens, at 7 Hester St., have filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $21,698 and assets given as unknown.

SAMUEL SCHILD, cloaks and suits, at 41 West 21st St., has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $32,775 and assets of $7,070, consisting of stock, $5,000; accounts, $2,000; fixtures, $100, and unliquidated claims $170. Among the creditors are Klepper & Kornstaff, $2,684; Klepper, Marcus & Co., $1,637, and Accurate Cloak Co., $1,322.

MADISON COSTUME CO., INC., dresses, at 127 Madison Av., has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $22,607 and assets of $13,836, consisting of cash, $140; dresses, &c., $3,690; fixtures, $1,800; accounts, $7,706, and Liberty bond, $500. Among the creditors are Yale Dress Co., $3,196; M. Ascher Silk Corp., $2,188, and Abraham Cohen, $1,604.

LOUIS MORRISON, shoes, at 106 Reade St., have filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $34,227 and assets given as unknown.

BRAFF & BRAFF, INC., children's dresses, at 22 West 24th St., has filed schedules in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $13,486, and assets unknown.

MUTUAL TALKING MACHINE CO., INC.—Judge Knox has appointed Cornelius J. Smythe receiver, in $5,000 bond, for Mutual Talking Machine Co., Inc., at 145 West Forty-fifth Street. Assets are said to be not more than $10,000.

SUPREME PHONO PARTS CO., INC.—Judge Knox has appointed Cornelius J. Smythe receiver for Supreme Phono Parts Co., Inc., at 145 West Forty-fifth Street.

O. P. OLSEN & CO., INC., ship chandlers, at 80 Water Street, has assigned to Albert B. Corey. The firm was incorporated in 1918. O. P. Olsen is President.

SAMUEL FRIEDMAN, dry goods, at 180 Orchard Street, has assigned to William Hecht.

JOSEPH GOLDMAN, dealer in leather and leather remnants, at 87 Frankfort Street, has assigned to Maurice P. Hartman.

Out of Town.

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Allen C. Jones, manager and Treasurer of the New American House, today filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. He placed his liabilities at $251,409, of which $200,000 was described as accommodation paper. Assets were said to be of uncertain value. The claims of secured creditors amount to $11,009.

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Hoyt, Robert D.—P. Clements 221.20
Hanson Autotype Co., Inc., and H. P. Hanson—D. H. Palmer 3,187.50
I. J. Stander & Co., Inc.—C. P. Keller 790.70
Isler, Emanuel—Chemical Natl. Bank of N. Y. 2,047.58
I. J. Stander & Co., Inc.—Goodall Rubber Co., Inc. 249.16
Johnston, Dryden & Co., Inc., and Wm. H. Johnston—B. F. Falter 10,082.45
John K. Joice Co.—B. C. Jackson, costs 104.32
Kastengren, Wm. A.—Spencer Turbine Co. 648.00
Klein, Zolton and Dezco (Klein & Klein)—P. Mancuso 111.91
Kaminsky, Samuel, and Benjamin (K. & R. Silk Co.)—S. Caccianino, Inc. 4,486.90
Leishman, Telegraphic Picture Service—John C. Rankin Service 1,283.72
Liata & Co., Inc.—Sugar Products Co. 4,188.78
Leff, Samuel—I. M. Friedman et al. 167.70
Lebowitz, Isidor—H. Berger 126.98
Miller, Albert—D. Gilman 280.95
Mirenberg, Herman—A. Mittman 600.67
Manhattan Phono Parts Co., Inc.—M. Lobschitz 2,146.55
Mourmouris & Colomiris, Inc.—Armour & Co. 260.45
Pollock, Simon O., Louis Goldstein and John J. Pollock—M. Silver 162.90
Paprosky, Hyman—Natl. Cash Register Co. 270.35
Ralston, Thomas H.—C. S. McCullon 164.56
Rappaport, Samuel, and David Diamond or Charles Diamond (Rappaport & Diamond)—N. Greenzeig 2,045.15
Same—B. Silverstein et al. 2,060.44
Roth, Samuel—W. Shillaber Jr. 219.36
Reissman, Alexander—Brooks Bros. 174.34
Reliable Skirt Co., Harry Remis and Hyman Kourick—H. Samson 893.20
Riley, Alice, and Charles Uule—People, &c. 500.00
Richard Fitzpatrick, Inc.—General Accident, Fire and Life Assurance Corp., Lt., of Perth, Scotland 1,283.55
Soba, Philip—Encyclopaedia Britannica Corp. 130.21
Specialty Art Lamp Co., Inc.—Northeastern Lumber Co. 284.22
S. & P. Mfg. Co., Inc.—Hauser Agency 1,779.69
Sommerfield, Henry—Frieman & Krieger 408.36
Steiger, Harry—People, &c. 500.00
Tucker, G. Owen—J. H. Hayden 448.01
Van Horn Eudora O'S—Coast Construction Co., Inc. 156.24
Wirenberg, Herman—A. Mittman 605.37
Witrofsky, Lena and Rudolph—S. M. Goldberg 129.63
White Wood Corp.—Export Flour and Feed Co., Inc. 1,648.07
Wilhelmy, Louis F.—S. Gross 130.41
William Galloway Co.—H. V. Bruce 24,818.27
Wiener Terker, Inc.—I. Lewis 3,145.45

In Bronx County.

Asch, Charles—C. Simon $182.05
Cray, Thomas A.—A. H. Kirkpatrick 83.72
Cohen, Louis—H. B. Solvin 241.32
C. & K. Costume Co., Inc.—H. Radinsky 120.22
Fornabia, Mary—S. Schwartz 691.45
Hardy, Frank J.—M. Giebel 2,223.60
Levy, Clifton H.—Merit Holding Corp. 250.92
Leonard, William J.—N. Y. Telephone Co. 41.34
Ratiborsky, John—S. Ratiborsky 78.25
Roth, Robert C.—Morris Plan Co. 223.20
Spielberger, Ignatz—E. Nemett 535.41
White Co.—F. Hearn 74.41
Ziende, Herman, and Louis Edelman—S. Edelman 329.40

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and date when judgment was filed.

In New York County.

Willetts, Samuel—Acker, Merrall & Condit Co., Sept. 10, 1918 ....$238.32
Same—R. M. Bownes Son & Son, Jan. 14, 1920 ....215.67
Lippmann, Wm. J.—C. J. McLester, Jan. 14, 1919 ....131.91
P. Kleppe & Co., Inc.—Chiarello Bros. Co., Inc., Oct. 5, 1920 (canceled) 50,012.65
Fleischer, Benjamin—A. Weigle, et al., Jan. 12, 1920 ....100.00
Dempewolf, Rebecca I.—E. C. Worms et al., Feb. 5, 1920 ....107.79
Hines, Walker D.—L. Gottlieb & Sons, May 28, 1920 ....613.65
Hendricks, Geo. W.—J. Romans, June 10, 1918 ....345.00
Payne, John B.—L. Gottlieb Sons, May 28, 1920 ....613.55
Same—Same, May 28, 1920 ....613.65
Meyers, Harry, & New Amsterdam Casualty Co.—People, &c., Oct. 7, 1920 ....1,000.00
McSweeney, William, & New Amsterdam Casualty Co.—Same, Nov. 22, 1920 ....1,000.00
Mistafa, Abraham, & New Amsterdam Casualty Co.—Same, Nov. 3, 1920 ....1,000.00
Rabbi Isaac Elchonon Theological Seminary Ass'n—St. Vincent's Hospital of the City of N. Y., March 2, 1916 ....7,067.00
O'Neill, John, & New Amsterdam Casualty Co.—People, &c., Sept. 15, 1920 ....200.00

In Bronx County.

Harrietta Holding Co.—J. Oppenheimer, March 14, 1914 ....$3,180.11

BUYERS' WANTS.

Fifteen cents per word each insertion.

ARTIFICIAL SILK Wanted—Quantities. H. S. Meritzer, 330 5th Av., New York. Murray Hill 2609.

BOLIVIA and Chamoistyne Wanted, Spring shades. Steinbois & Ross, 10 West 29th St.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—All shades, for immediate delivery. Nat. C. Hirschfield Co., 1,150 Broadway.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—All shades; good quality. Alper-Siegel Co., 118 Madison Av.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—All colors. Shapero, Lewis & Co., 150 Madison Av.

CANTON CREPE Wanted—Brown, navy and gray. International Dress Co., 31 East 31st.

CHAMO Wanted—Style 21226, shade 302 only; quantity. Franklin 1774.

CHARMEUSE Wanted—Open to buy Reiling & Schoen's, Schwartzenbach & Huber's, and all other qualities, for cash. Call Madison Square 4941.

CHIFFON VELVETS Wanted—Open to buy for cash Oppenheim's 1,502. Mad. Sq. 2673.

CLOAKS Wanted—Are open to buy Spring coats. Lurie, Gordon & Lurie, 39-41 West 29th St.

COATINGS Wanted—Jobs of Spring coatings for cash; call after 10 A. M. Garfinkel & Jacobs, 10 West 22d.

COATS Wanted—Spring models; large jobber now placing orders; must be neat, snappy styles; call all week. 16 West 33d St., 9th floor, from 8:30 to 10:30 and after 4:30.

COATS, Suits and Dresses Wanted—At once for big sale; about three thousand; must be big values; will pay cash. Stewart's, St. Louis. Call at 276 5th Av., Room 808.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring children's intermediate and infants' coats. Call with samples, 9 to 11 A. M., 164 West 27th, first floor.

COATS and Suits Wanted—Jobber placing orders on the better made coats, wraps and suits. Call with samples, 48 West 25th St., fourth floor.

COATS AND WRAPS Wanted—Jobber looking at sample of medium and high priced coats and wraps. 29 West 30th, 9th floor.

COATS Wanted—Will look at samples in Spring children's and juniors' coats of the better grade. 12 East 33d St., 8th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at ladies' and misses' Spring coats all week. 105 Madison Av., 5th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders on infants', children's; snappy styles. 11th floor, 39 West 21st.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking at high-class Spring coats and sport coats. 99 Madison Av., 8th floor.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted—Out of town buyer looking at Spring lines. 38 West 26th, 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber now placing orders on Spring coats and wraps. 40 West 27th, 9th floor.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted—Looking at better kind, Spring styles. 40 West 27th, 4th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber looking ladies' Spring coats all week. 11 West 27 St., 1st floor.

COATS Wanted—Juniors,' misses' only; snappy styles. Ullus Bros., 37 West 32d.

COATS Wanted—Buying Spring coats, ladies' and children's. Neumann, 137 West 27th.

COATS, SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring styles. 4th floor, 33 W. 26th.

COATS Wanted—Snappy junior coats for Spring. 8th floor, 10 East 33d.

COATS, Suits and Wraps Wanted—For Spring. Longacre 2983 for appointment.

COATS and SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at, all week. Room 804, 27 West 24th.

COATS Wanted—Looking at Spring samples all week. 8th floor, 133 West 26th.

COATS Wanted—Infants' and children's, for Spring. 2 West 19th, 11th floor.

COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders 2 to 6, 7 to 10. 38 West 18th, sixth floor.

COATS Wanted—Spring, ladies', juniors' and children. 1st floor, 48 West 22d.

COATS AND WRAPS Wanted—Of the better kind. 9th floor, 36 West 25th.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted of the better grade. 4th floor, 45 West 27th.

COATS Wanted—Looking at Spring samples. 302 5th Av., tenth floor.

COLLARS Wanted—Fur, jobs in nutria, opossum, sealine, raccoon. Gordon V. Lyons, 127 West 26th.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Open to buy for cash all kinds of cotton goods, particularly white and unbleached; state quantities. V 856 Times Downtown.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Amoskeag, Blue Wing, Spencer, &c. Benjamin Spitzer & Co., 87 5th Av.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Will pay cash for any quantity, any description, at a price. Charles Scheffres & Co., 296 Canal St.

COTTON GOODS Wanted, Serpentine Crepe Wanted—Quantity no object if price is right. M. N. Arida, 118 West 22d.

COTTON GOODS Wanted—Open for quantity of 64 percales, lights and darks. Miller Bros., 113 West 22d.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Open to buy quantity 8-thread at a price; submit sample piece. Regal Undergarment Co., 145 Madison Av.

CREPE DE CHINES Wanted—68-pick in the greige or finished; will buy any quantity; spot cash. Garfinkel & Ritter, 151 West 30th St.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Ivory, pink and light blue, in four-thread; good quality; price must be right. 10th floor, 28 West 23d.

CREPE DE CHINE and Washable Satin wanted in large quantities for cash. Goldberg-Duba, 118 West 27th.

CREPE DE CHINES Wanted — Quantity, white, 4-thread, at price; cash. Slote & Schaffer, 49 East 21st.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—Stewart's 2386 or Juilliard's flesh; cash. Madison Sq. 123.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted—4 and 5 thread, cheap for cash. Goodman, 12 East 33d.

CREPE Wanted—Canton. Max Levine & Co., 142 West 26th.

DENIM Wanted—Fleece lined; also rubber goods fleece lined; big quantities; pay cash. Write Z. B., 520 Presbyterian Bldg.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring samples in all materials. Call after 2 P. M., 5th floor, 39 West 32d.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on Spring styles, all materials. Call all week, Style Dress Co., 41 West 25th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on higher priced Canton crepes and taffetas. Crown Costume, 43 West 24th.

DRESSES Wanted—Open to buy snappy tricotine dresses for Spring. Mohawk Dress, 1,140 Broadway.

DRESSES Wanted—Very large jobber buying Canton crepe dresses. Sample room, 29 West 32d, 11th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Western jobber placing orders on fine Spring models. Phone Schwartz, Watkins 2856.

DRESSES Wanted—Largest wool dress house buying dresses. Sample room, 29 West 32d, 11th floor.

DRESSES Wanted — Placing orders on misses' and junior models; all materials. 3d floor, 258 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better grade of dresses for Spring. Ask for Mr. Seidal, fourth floor, 22 West 32d St.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on wool dresses. Call with samples, 12th floor, 47 West 27th St.

DRESSES Wanted—Open to buy job Fall dresses in tricotine; call with samples. 1,140 Broadway, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at samples in all materials; also stouts. 22 West 27th, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring dresses, all materials. 1,270 Broadway, Room 418.

DRESSES Wanted—Will look at silk and woolen dresses all day. 8th floor, 132 West 22d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring dresses in taffeta and tricolette. Room 602, 20 West 22d St.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on smart Spring models. Warren Dress, 258 5th Av.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring dresses. 38-40 West 33d, Room 612.

DRESSES Wanted—Looking at Spring styles in all materials. 1,182 Broadway, Room 404.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on Spring styles; all materials. 247 5th Av., Room 9.

DRESSES Wanted — Tricotine, serge; any amount, for cash. 9 West 31st, 1st floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber buying Spring dresses, 126 Madison Av., 1st floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Reliable specialty store having large outlet is planning a big December sale on dresses; would like to secure smart styles on two weeks' memo. Write Box J. N., 1214 Wilson Bldg.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing stock orders on medium to finest grade taffeta, crepe de chine, canton crepe, meteor, poiret twill and tricotine dresses. Submit samples 9 to 5 daily, 28 West 33d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber open for new Spring tricotine, taffeta, georgette and canton crepe dresses, in popular and better grade. Call 10-12 A. M., 115 West 29th, 8th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Open for 5,000 tricotines, serges, jersey velours and tricolette, for cash; must be cheap. 230 5th Av., Room 807. Madison Square 7823.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing stock orders on Spring dresses, canton crepe, mignonettes, tricotines and novelties. Call with samples, 16 East 33d, 4th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—We will buy, spot cash, jobs any quantities velour, tricotine, charmeuse and party dresses. Submit samples 9-5 daily, 5th floor, 28 West 33d.

DRESSES Wanted—Contractors with samples of medium priced taffetas and Canton crepe dresses. Call all week, 10:30 A. M., 31 West 31st, 9th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing quantity orders on better grade silk dresses in taffetas, satins and canton crepes. 7th floor, 16 West 25th St.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy Spring models taffeta, canton crepe, crepe de chine and cloth. Call with samples, Hirbro Dress, 153 West 27th.

DRESSES—Jobber placing orders on better grade dresses, all kinds of materials. Apply at our temporary office, 55 West 16th, 5th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—We are placing Spring orders on stylish stout dresses. Call with samples all week. Universal Dress Co., 147 West 25th St.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring dresses; your own material or ours; bring samples. Flower Dress Co., 19 West 24th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber will pay cash for any quantity of tricotine, serge and silk dresses, 153 West 27th St., 3d floor. Chelsea 7383.

DRESSES Wanted—Placing orders on better grade taffeta, charmeuse and georgette; snappy styles, misses and ladies. Chelsea 5080.

DRESSES Wanted—Large jobber placing orders on Spring dresses of better grades. Call with samples, 34 West 32d St., 9th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders better grade dresses, all materials. Call between 2 and 5, first floor, 16 West 30th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring samples of serges, tricotine and jersey dresses. Deslowitz Brothers, 36 West 22d.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber ready to place large orders on Spring silk dresses. Call with samples, 142 5th Av., 7th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on higher-priced Canton crepes and taffetas. Crown Costume, 43 West 24th.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber looking at Spring styles in georgettes. Call all week, 5 West 32d (14th floor), 9-12.

DRESSES Wanted — Jobber placing orders tailored cloths, silks and canton crepe. Call all week, 12 West 27th, 14th floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on better grade cloth and silk dresses; call all week. 11 East 31st, 3d floor.

DRESSES Wanted—Jobber placing orders on Spring line popular priced dresses. 123 West 28th St., 1st floor.

DUVETYNS Wanted — Silk duvetyns. L. E. Karpeles, 303 5th Av. Longacre 1067.

FUR Wanted—Reliable specialty store, having large outlet, is planning a big December fur sale; would like to secure coats on memo. Write J. O., 1214 Wilson Bldg.

FUR COLLARS Wanted—Raccoon, black opossum, nutria, Australian. Royal Coat Co., 14 West 28th St.

FURS Wanted—Raccoon and Australian opossum shawl collars at right price. Jacob Dorf, 10 East 33d.

GABERDINE and Poiret Twill Wanted—Navy and brown, 50 to 54 inches, seconds or firsts. Gramercy 6728. 1890.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Any amount, in flesh and bisque, for spot cash; quality and price must be right. Raab and Cohen, 232 North 15th St., Philadelphia, Penn.

GEORGETTES Wanted—Quantity, all colors, at a price, for cash. 247 6th Av. Room 9.

GINGHAM Wanted—Amoskeag plaids and checks; quantity. M. Berzer, Chelsea 178.

HATS Wanted—Open for job women's hats, satin and fur-satin and brocade. Call with samples Wednesday, Dec. 8, Specialty Stores Associations, 10 East 32d.

INFANTS' WEAR—We are open to buy large lots of infants' wear; also 2 to 6 years, for Spring or Fall delivery, at once; spot cash. All day Tuesday and Wednesday, Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co., 36 Worth St.

JAP SILK Wanted—M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

LACES—Vals wanted, second and third width, 25c., cash. Forster Emb. Co., 120 5th Av.

LACE Wanted—18-hole insertion, rose leaf design; cash. Bosher. Spring 3383.

LININGS Wanted—Can use changeable tussah and taffetas and poplin also in changeable; cash only; quantities. Nadler, 7 W. 18th St.

MESSALINE RIBBON Wanted—200,000 yards No. 1, pink and blue, for cash. Madison Square 8180.

NECKTIES Wanted—300 dozen cotton mixtures; must be cheap; cash. Silbey, 1,227 54th St., Brooklyn.

PIQUES Wanted—White madras, fancy, cheap only; 36 inches, for soft collars, regular or remnants. Troy-Chicago Co., 6,425 South Park Av., Chicago, Ill.

POIRET TWILLS Wanted—Garfield's 4978, Selrose 845, or similar. L. Goldstein Co. Madison Square 10110.

POIRET TWILL Wanted—Navy and brown. Harry Shultz, 15 West 27th.

POPLIN Wanted—Susquehanna 171, copenhagen, taupe, burgundy and navy, for cash. B. Dress Co., 700 Glenmore Av., Brooklyn. Cypress 7277.

RADIUMS Wanted—All shades. Max Levine & Co., 142 West 26th.

SATEEN Wanted—Fine English warp sateen, dark colors. Manhattan Petticoat Co., 3 West 29th.

SATIN CREPE Wanted—100 pieces of good quality, for cash. Harry Shultz, 15 West 27th.

SATIN, Crepe Back, Wanted—Color, Brown only, for cash. Coronet Costume, 39 W. 32d.

SERGES Wanted—Juilliard's 54296; also Goff's and other cheap tricotines. Chelsea 1456.

SERGE Wanted—7301 or 6301; quantity, at a price. Zimmern & Zimmern, 826 B'way.

SERGE Wanted—7301 or similar; tricotine, better grade. Ohringer, 9 West 20th.

SERGES Wanted—9, 7301, MFL, 7312, Goff 3304, or similar. Chelsea 405.

SERGE Wanted—Whitman 9 navy, $1.60 cash. Myer Gans, 151 West 26th.

SERGES Wanted—7120, 54289, 333. Tenth floor, 40 West 27th. Watkins 8214.

SERGES Wanted—7614 and 119, navy; cash. 5397 Spring.

SERGES Wanted—7301. J. Dunn, 127 West 26th St.

SERGES Wanted—7614, Amoskeag, for cash. Call Spring 2406.

SHIRTS Wanted—We can use from 100 to 200 dozen branded negligee soft cuff shirts at a very low figure; our buyer may be interviewed Wednesday morning, 14th floor, 220 5th Av.; do not waste our time unless you have an extraordinary lot. The Chailfoux Co. Phone 5450 Mad. Square.

SHIRTS, MEN'S, Wanted—1,000 dozen percale, madras and duvetyne; show samples. 13 East 22d St., 12th floor.

SILKS Wanted—Will buy for spot cash 3, 4 and 5 thread crepe de chines, also crepe meteors, radiums, satins, messalines, georgettes, taffetas, all kinds of shirtings, any quantity, sportsilks, printed georgettes, 12 and 14 momme pongee, also all kinds of remnants in silk, from 1½ yards up. Store, 34 East 29th. Madison Square 2673.

SILKS Wanted—Satins, messalines, taffetas, shirtings, heavy georgettes, Canton crepes, crepe de chine, printed georgettes and novelties; spot cash. New York Silk Exchange, 337 4th Av.

SILKS Wanted—Taffetas and peau de cygnes, below market price; quantity no object; spot cash. National Petticoat, 50 West 15th.

SILKS Wanted—3300 black taffeta or similar qualities, also fancy plaid taffetas, at a price. Zimmern & Zimmern, 826 B'way.

SILKS Wanted—Peau de cygnes, 40 inch; radiums; all colors; good quality. Jordan & Weiner, 460 4th Av.

SILKS Wanted—Open for fancy Jap and tub silks, for cash. T. Weinberg & Sons, 38 West 26th.

SILK Wanted—First choice Gifu, 12 mms.; pay cash. Bosher. Spring 3383.

SILK, Artificial, Wanted—Quantities. Clarion Knitting Mills, 360 Stone Av., Brooklyn.

SILKS Wanted—Chiffon taffeta, all colors. Billy Posner, 44 East 32d.

SILK Wanted—Radium, in black and navy. Madison Square 961.

SILVERTONE Wanted—Parkside, style 165. Rosing & Cohn, Inc., 1,333 Broadway.

SKIRTS Wanted—Looking for better grade. 9 West 20th, 5th floor.

SUITS AND COATS Wanted—Better grade; jobber placing Spring orders. 129 West 29th, 6th floor.

SUITS and COATS Wanted—Jobber placing orders for Spring. 31 East 28th, 11th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Placing orders high grade suits. 131 West 28th, 6th floor.

SUITS Wanted — Jobber looking at Spring suits. 8th floor, 13 West 27th.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at snappy styles of Spring suits. 5th floor, 43 W. 27th.

SUITS, COATS Wanted—Placing orders on Spring line. Third floor, 28 West 25th.

SUITS Wanted — Jobber looking at Spring samples. 41 West 33d, 4th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Ladies' tricotine, serge and velour suits, also coats. Call Tuesday, 10 A. M., B. Goldberg, 1,170 Broadway, Room 706. Tel. Madison Square 7672.

SUITS Wanted—Misses' styles, popular priced; jobbers placing orders. Call mornings, 8 East 27th, 12th floor.

SUITS Wanted—Jobber looking at better grade Spring suits. 8th floor, 53 West 31st.

SUITS, Coats, Wraps Wanted—For Spring only; jobber placing orders. Mornings all week, 8th floor, 133 West 27th.

TAFFETA Wanted—In navy, black and brown, Ulrich & Donaldson's preferred, or similar quality; will pay cash; must be cheap. Call Madison Square 3824 any time Wednesday.

TAFFETA Wanted—Open to buy large quantities in brown, navy, copen, pearl gray; submit sample pieces. Kayanee Dress, 20 West 33d.

TAFFETAS Wanted—50 pieces, all colors, 336 R; also georgette, 8x8; spot cash. Smart Set Dress, 28 West 33d.

TAFFETA Wanted—Will buy any quantity better grade brown taffeta for cash. Brodie-Siegel, 52 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Brown; must be U. & B. Stehli 3333 or similar. George Schulman, 31 East 31st St.

TAFFETAS Wanted — Brown, pearl gray, good quality; for cash. Polonaise Dress Co., 111 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—All colors and black Jap silk; pay cash. Aurora Co., 632 Broadway.

TAFFETAS Wanted—We are open for quantity of taffeta. Call between 9-11, Louis Weinstock, Inc., 9th floor, 16 East 32d.

TAFFETAS and Canton Crepes Wanted—All shades. Schlesinger & Wolper, 208 5th Av.

TAFFETA and Georgette Wanted—Quantity at price. Lobell & Co., 52 West 27th.

TAFFETA Wanted—Navy and brown, Stehli 3333, for cash. D. E. Schustack, 44 E. 32d.

TAFFETA Wanted—Good quality; quantity. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

TAFFETA Wanted—Large quantity, for cash; good quality. 247 6th Av. Room 9.

TAFFETAS AND CANTON CREPES Wanted. Oxford Dress, 25 West 27th.

TAFFETAS Wanted—Lincoln Dress, 47 West 32d.

TIES Wanted—Large quantity silk ties, fifty-cent and dollar sellers, at right prices. Submit samples to Ben Snyder, Louisville, Ky.

TOYS AND DOLLS Wanted—Imported goods; can use quantity. J. & D., 2,225 3d Av., corner 121st St. Telephone Harlem 9093.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Can use large quantity navy tricotine for immediate delivery at low price; no phone calls. Knobel & Bloom, 145 West 30th.

TRICOTINE, Serges and Gabardine Wanted—Large lots to close out; must be cheap for cash. Longacre 4120. Mr. Yudell.

TRICOTINES Wanted—0388, 00077, or similar; quantity; spot cash. Lishinsky, Pennsylvania 2966.

TRICOTINES, PLUSHES Wanted — 0388, 5782, similar; cash; peco, Hudson seal. Stuyvesant 8469.

TRICOTINE Wanted—Can use quantity Andrew & Reads, at price. Rabinowitz Dress, 38 West 32d.

TRICOTINE Wanted—0388, Deland's or Reed's; quantity at low prices. Watkins 3641.

TRICOTINE Wanted—American 0388, navy. Watkins 3553.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Open for quantity at a price, cash. Rosen Bros., 118 West 27th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—All grades. Fitzroy 1934.

TRICOTINES and Tricolettes Wanted—I. Ras & Co., 37 West 28th St.

TRICOTINES Wanted—Good quality. Oxford Dress, 25 West 27th.

TRICOTINES Wanted—American, 0388, navy. Phone Longacre 4177.

UNDERWEAR Wanted—Jobber open for immediate delivery silk chemises, gowns, bloomers and camisoles; call between 1 and 5. Room 702, 49 West 27th St.

VELOURS Wanted—Light weight, quantity, at a price. Bonners & Levine, 1,161 Broadway. Watkins 9835.

VELOURS Wanted—All colors; Steven's 4314, or similar. Florence Costume, 184 West 25th.

VELOURS Wanted—Dress weight, large quantity, for cash. Zeits & Levin, 2 W. 33d.

VELOUR Wanted—13046; copen only. Fit Best Cloak Co. Watkins 4668.

VOILES Wanted—French voiles, open to buy quantity at a price for cash. Mitchell & Weber, 122 West 27th.

VOILE Wanted—Open for 100,000 yards imported voile. Call Ross Waist Co., 115 West 30th St.

Contracts Wanted.

CONTRACTORS making popular priced dresses, taffetas, serges, clean workmanship, will work cheap. Homestead Dress, 10 West 22d. Tel. Gramercy 3210.

CONTRACTOR with Spring samples wishes to connect with reliable jobbers dresses. Sammartano, 180 East 118th.

CONTRACTOR wants work on tailor-made silk waists. Friedman & Son, 38 East 10th. Stuyvesant 8149.

OFFERINGS TO BUYERS.

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APRONS—3,000 dozen, all kinds; immediate delivery. Dean's Lock Stitch, 45 East 17th St.

ARMY GOODS—Army regulation garrison shoe, $4.65; navy blue wool pea coats, $7.85; West Point officer shoes, $3.85; army wool mackinaw, 30 ounce, $7.50; army O. D. slippers, $1; hip boots, $2.75; army hobnailed shoes, $3.50. Elias Berlow Corp., 110 Duane St.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—Have for immediate delivery belts, shoes, slickers, blankets, shirts, leggings, underwear and a full line of reclaimed merchandise. Nat Bloom & Co., 1 West 3d St.

ARMY AND NAVY GOODS—New all-wool blankets, $3.50, 57x84; made from U. S. Government gray burella cloth. Surplus Trading Co., 334 Broadway, New York City. Telephone Canal 5020.

ARMY GOODS STORES—100,000 pairs U. S. Army hip rubber boots, sizes 8-12, in 5-case lots or more, $3 a pair. Chas. Rose, 385 Bridge St., Brooklyn. Nevins 2853.

ARMY and navy goods, all descriptions; new and reclaimed; lowest prices. Berger-Krans Co., 27 West Houston St., near B'way.

ARMY and Navy Goods—Such as sweaters, hosiery and underwear, below market price. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

ARMY BLANKETS, 38x84, weight 4½ lbs., $4; immediate delivery. B 273 Times.

BAGS—Entire line ladies' imported handbags; beaded, silk, velvet; offered at remarkably low prices. Lanseatra Co., 3 West 29th. Longacre 4144.

BAGS—Beaded, large quantity imported in bond. Franklin 1757.

BATHROBES, nightshirts, for men, cheap. L. Greenberg & Co., 7 West 22d. Gramercy 1680.

BATHROBES—Job men's, women's, children's. Brown & Son, 50 West 17th.

BEADED BAGS—A lot to sell very reasonable; French make. American Art Novelty, 3 West 29th.

BEADED BAGS—75 hand crocheted, very fine beads, will close out below cost. Room 1414, 303 5th Av.

BEADED BAGS—Exclusive designs, all sizes; cheap. Rachman, 34 East 28th.

BEAVER—Black and gray, style J 36 Dobson, at $2 net cash. Stuyvesant 8416.

BLOOMERS—Flannelette, women's $4.50, misses' $3.75 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

CHILDREN'S COATS—300 intermediate and flapper coats, made of suedene, broadcloth, velour and silvertone, mostly fur trimmed and high grade coats, to close out at a sacrifice. Malamud & Feigenbaum, 27 West 24th St.

CHILDREN'S COATS—Cloth, all sizes, big sacrifice. Rolly Polly, 46 West 22d.

COATEES, plush, 30 inches long, made of H. & H. and Peerless Plush; fancy lining, at $9.75; same with Kit Coney collar, $11.50; Yukon seal, 30 inches long, large cape collar 72 inches sweep, silk lined and interlined, special $21.50. Brown Cloak & Suit Co., 43 West 33d St. Penn. 843.

COATEES, Coats—Closing out plushes, peco, Baffin seal, trimmed with raccoon, opossum, coney, Australian, &c., and plain; sacrificing prices. Singer & Son, 48 West 27th.

COATEES, plush, 500, must be sold at sacrifice; don't forget to ask for our leader, silk plush kit coney collars $9.75. 141 West 28th, 3d floor.

COATEES—Plush coatees and full-length coats to size 55 on racks at a price; immediate delivery. Slafkes & Toskar, 12 West 18th.

COATEES—Raccoon, Australian opossum trimmed; also stouts; exceptionally low prices. Korostoff, 14 West 21st.

COATEES—Also plush coats, $9.90; 34 in. long, full sweep. Louis Bloom, 41 W. 33d.

COATEES—Plush, fur trimmed, very cheap. Seventh floor, 48 West 25th St.

COATEES—Plush, $7.50 up; also long coats. Frank, 45 West 22d.

COATEES—Plush, closing out. Barnett Levine, 132 West 24th St.

COATS and WRAPS of the better kind; close out. 32 East 31st, 10th floor.

COATS—Children's; 200 to close out at your price. Sam Stern, 110 West 22d.

COATS AND SUITS—50 each to close out at a sacrifice. Waxman, 22 West 15th.

COATS—Sizes 2 to 14, at a price. H. I. Levinson Co., 13 West 27th.

COATS, Wraps — Closing out 200, cheap. Rubin, 420 6th Av., corner 26th.

COATS—Children's to close out at a sacrifice. Rosebud Girl Coat Co., 23 E. 20th.

COATS, suits, better grade; close out. Libowitz, 131 West 28th.

COATS—Cloth, fur trimmed, assorted, $8.75 up. Frank, 45 West 22d.

COATS—Remarkable reduction; we are offering 1,000 silk lined bolivia coats with Australian opossum collars, $23.50; self trimmed, $16.75; these coats are exceptional values at the prices we are offering them, and cannot be duplicated elsewhere for their workmanship and style. House of Bargains. Horowitz Bros., 122 West 26th.

COATS and Coatees, in plushes, better made, large assortment, in various materials and trimmed with all desirable furs for immediate delivery at close out prices; wonderful sale values; call and convince yourself. Cohen & Whelan, Mfrs., 59 West 15th.

COATS and wraps, immediate delivery; chamoistyne, evoras, valdyne, tasmonias, bolivia, &c.; nutria, Australian opossum and raccoon trimmed; also a large assortment of cheaper coats at a price. Stollerman, Donovan & Berkman, 1,140 Broadway.

COATS—High class wraps and misses' coats, luxuriant squirrel collars and other expensive furs, peachbloom, suedine, Evora, Yalama, Chamelion, Bolivia, at attractive prices. B. Hirschhorn Co., 39 West 29th.

COATS and Wraps — Thousands of fur-trimmed and plain, all silk lined; wonderful variety of styles, made in the season's most desirable fabrics, at very low prices. Leipzig & Rosenberg, 122 West 27th.

COATS—75 high grade materials; best workmanship; large collars of taupe, nutria, mole, Australian and ringtail opossum; to close out at a great reduction. Rosenthal & Heffer, 89 Madison Av.

COATS AND WRAPS—Fur-trimmed and plain; wonderful variety of style; made in the season's most desirable fabrics; priced exceptionally well. Mezeritsky & Stollerman, 28 West 27th.

COATS—Closing out entire stock; latest materials and styles; very big sacrifice; don't forget to ask for our special fur-trimmed ladies' coats, $8.75. Gelfond, 141 West 28th.

COATS—Sport, snappy, fur trimmed, suede lined, $14.25 net; dovetone suede coats, opossum fur shawl collars, leather suede lined, $25. Leo F. Sturm, 8 West 30th.

COATS—Plush coatees, Australian and raccoon collar; also 50 Baffin seal, Australian opossum collar and cuffs; will sacrifice. Premier Garment, 145 West 28th.

COATS—Last 500 juniors' and ladies' fur trimmed and plain, to close out at a very low price. Goldsheim Bros. & Bruckner, 31 West 21st. Gramercy 6775.

COATS and Wraps—Our Spring line of the better kind now ready for the jobbing trade. Ravneer Weisberg Co., 44 West 30th. Longacre 4449.

COATS—Closing out entire stock plush and velour coats, special ladies' coats; all lines; sealine collars, $9.75. Klepper & Korostoff, 144 West 27th.

COATS—Wrappy styles, large fur collars, very reasonable; also plain and fur-trimmed suits, to close out. Lee Hexter & Co., 38 West 25th.

COATS—Plush coatees, Australian and raccoon collar, also 50 Baffin seal, Australian opossum collar and cuffs, will sacrifice 145 West 28th.

COATS—Opossum and raccoon collar peco coats on the rack; see our special silk plush at $9.50. Rosenfeld Bros. & Rosenberg, 22 West 21st.

COATS—Light, fur-trimmed, Australian raccoon, opossum, nutria; better materials; special $23.75. Jacob Cohen, 1,383 Broadway.

COATS—Bolivia, suedines, fur trimmed and plain, recently manufactured; disposing at sacrifice prices. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st.

COATS, about 1,100, to close out at sacrifice prices; all lined, mostly in brown, fur and self trimmed. Blumenson & Co., 56 West 22d St.

COATS—Cloth and plush, better grade Bolivia, chamo and silvertip; fur trimmed and plain; close out cheap. Samuel Fine, 12 W. 27th.

COATS—300 infants' 2 to 6 broadcloth, velour, at great sacrifice; wonderful values for sale. G. Hausman & Son, 19 West 24th.

COATS—Sacrificing 400 suedine and velour with Australian opossum and raccoon collars. 141 West 18th, 3d floor.

COATS—Sport coats, closing out; double faced polos, raccoon and Australian opossum trimmed. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st.

COATS—Infants' 2 to 6 years, very good values; rock bottom prices. Lichtenstein Bros., 19 West 21st.

COATS—Extra size heavyweight black kerseys, all-lined, big plush collar, $12.75. Klepper & Korostoff, 144 West 27th.

COATS — 500 raccoon, Australian opossum, sealine trimmed; great sacrifice. Morris Waldman, 17 West 28th.

COATS, SUITS—Jobs, leading materials, raccoon and opossum trimmed; sacrifice. Ohringer, 9 West 20th.

COATS, infants', intermediate children's in polos, velours; closing out at price. Wasserman, 30 West 21st.

COATS—Children's; jobs of odds and ends to close out. Saphir Cloak Company, 39 West 21st St., City.

COATS—Final cleanup, children's, juniors', ladies, various materials at great sacrifices. Gleichenhaus Bros., 31 West 24th.

COATS and suits for jobbers, specialty Spring line of stouts; popular prices. Eisen & Son, 122 West 26th.

COATS, WRAPS—Closing out Bolivias with Australian opossum collars; all leading shades. Etkin, 108 West 32d.

COATS—Children's, juniors', last of stock; sacrifice. D. Kantor & Wasserman, 3 East 17th.

COATS, WRAPS—Bolivia, fur trimmed, raccoon, Australian opossum, nutria. Feldman, 16 West 24th.

COATS—Jobs of coats, bolivias, velours, silk lined, fur trimmed, to close. Kaplan & Weinstein, 133 West 21st.

COATS—Closing out jobs all wool velour, 5 styles, with kit coney collars, $10. A. Jacobs, 38 West 26th.

COATS—1,500 silk, plush, plain and fur trimmed, on the racks, at a price. Givner, Berkman & Hamburger, 43 West 27th.

COATS—500 children's full lined, sizes 2-14; $3.75, fur trimmed silvertones, sizes 8-14; $5.75. Wm. Barnstein & Co., 133 W. 19th.

COATS—Bolivias, suedines, velour fur trimmed and plain; disposing at sacrifice prices. Trio Garment Co., 161 W. 24th.

COATS—Infants', children's and juniors', of all descriptions, to close out, $3 up. Feldman & Weiss, 101 East Broadway.

COATS—Plush coatees, $12.75; 36x72; other numbers in proportion. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 21st.

COATS—Infants', children's, juniors', all descriptions, close out, $2.50 up. Cass Rosenthal, 133 West 27th.

COATS—Wonderful wraps in high-grade misses' coats, all nutria trimmed. Harry Eidlinger, 20 West 27th.

COATS—Girls' coats on hand; will sacrifice fine all-wool materials. A. Bender & Son, 138 West 19th St.

COATS and Suits—See our Bolivia nutria shawl coat at a low price. Cooper, Lausner & Cooper, 115 West 27th.

COATS—Infants', intermediates', children's, wool velours; lot of 200, must be sold this week. Silberstein, 261 Greene St.

COATS—Plush Australian opossum collars, $29.50; hundreds on rack. Michael Bros., 113 West 29th.

COATS—Sacrificing stock beaver, raccoon, Australian collars; reduction. Bernstein, 51 West 31st.

COATS—Children's, juniors', ladies', fur trimmed; close out. Edelson & Hand, 16 West 22d.

COATS—Our Spring line of suits and coats is ready for your criticism. N. Hurwitz & Son, 38 West 21st.

COATS—Juniors, American suedine, large sealine collars, $17.75. Marcus Klepper & Co., 34 West 27th.

COATS—Desirable lot of plush and cloth coats to close at special prices. Norwalk Bros., 105 Madison Av.

COATS—Stouts, plain and fur-trimmed, $17.75 and $21.75. Marcus Klepper & Co., 34 West 27th.

COATS, Suits and Dresses—Big jobs, to close out very cheap. Abraham Lustgarten, 8 West 19th.

COATS—150 wrap coats, fur-trimmed, to close out at a price. Levine & Soloff, 165 West 21st.

COATS—Better grade fur trimmed, to close out cheap. Schart & Rosen, 159 West 21st.

COATS—To close out. Eisenberg & Summerfield, 32 East 31st St.

COATS—Sacrificing lot velour coats. Neumann, 137 West 27th.

COATS—300; closing out, sacrifice fur trimmed, plain. Alex Kogut, 40 West 27th.

COATS—Contractors closing out 50 fur-trimmed coats, cheap. 37 West 32d, 5th floor.

COATS, Suits and Wraps Wanted—For Spring. Longacre 2983 for appointment.

COATS — Junior, all colors, to close out. Glantz & Schreiber, 127 West 26th.

COATS—Closing out cheap, juniors', ladies', children's. Hineberg, 41 West 25th.

CORDUROYS—Boyd's 3175, regimental, copen and myrtle green, to close out. Chelsea 9688.

CORDUROYS—300, 812, all colors, also remnants. Stuyvesant 1404.

COTTON CREPE—Japanese, we have both piece and yarn dyed, which we offer at a very low price. Yano & Joko, 440 4th Av.

COTTON GOODS—Four cases Pacific jean, below market price. Stuyvesant 6473.

CREPE DE CHINE — Crepe meteors and georgettes; 52 colors and silks of every description for spot delivery; prices far below manufacturing cost; export trade solicited. M. Marks Co., 354 4th Av. Madison Square 7300.

CREPE DE CHINE—Eagles 813 and 601; also Jap silks, to close out at a price for cash. Watkins 9815.

CREPE SATINS—Immediate delivery, blacks, browns, navys. Jordan & Rock, Inc., 39 East 31st St.

CREPE DE CHINE—3-thread, all colors. Superba Silk Mills, 164 5th Av. Chelsea 8785.

DOLLS—Imported, sleeping eyes; imported mechanical toys, china dishes; big list of $3 and 50 cent goods, below importing cost. Simco Doll Co., 5-7-9 Union Square.

DRESSES for the Jobbing Trade—We would like you to give us a chance to show you what your money will buy in our showroom in the way of easy-selling dresses for Spring; the money-making possibilities in our line will surprise you; if you spend a lot of money to come to the market to find the best, then why not spend a few minutes in our showroom, where you'll find what you're after? Taffetas, georgettes, serges, tricotines, from $6.75 to $19.50. Brodie-Siegel Company, 52 West 27th St. Chelsea 6883.

DRESSES for Sales—Dresses for sales, $9.75; also snappy all-wool embroidered French serges, $8.75; beautiful velours, cleverly embroidered, $9.75; they are dresses that you can sell in real sales and at the same time make real profit; here's your chance to make up what you lost on sales earlier in the season; if you want to meet conditions of today by giving your customers something to talk about, here's your chance; but you must act now. Brodie-Siegel Company, 52 West 27th St. Chelsea 6883.

DRESSES—Entire stock of high class girls' junior and misses' dresses; also import copies, all materials, including chiffon, velvets and evening dresses, considered the finest line in the city, to close out; this is best offer in New York. Schroeder & Co., 55 West 36th.

DRESSES—Get your share! Last week we sold and shipped 3,200 dresses from the racks. Buyers were quick to take advantage of our marvelous values. See our splendid models in serges, tricotines, &c.; all sizes, all colors, at right prices. Meyer Bosniak, 40 West 27th.

DRESSES—For buyers interested in running sales on dresses of the better kind we have to offer our surplus stock of tricotines, satin, crepe and minuettes, &c., in assorted lot at an average price to meet their requirements. Princess Dress House, 25 West 31st.

DRESSES—We have 5,000 dresses to sacrifice at your own prices; they are in up-to-the-minute styles and all first-class merchandise; they consist of velours, tricotines, jersey and charmeuse; inspection invited. Jacobs Bros., 34 West 32d.

DRESSES—See the biggest values in town; wool velours, $6.75; wool serges, elaborately embroidered, $5.50; satins, georgettes, tricotines; close out. Loeb-Nussbaum, 119 West 23d.

DRESSES — 1,500, consisting of tricotines, serges, velours, velvets and satins; former prices, $10.75 to $19.75, will sacrifice to a quantity buyer. Brucker Bros., 38 W. 28th.

DRESSES—Special values for pre-inventory sales; we have serges, velvets, velours, tricotine dresses from $3.75 up; don't buy before you see me. Isaac Ipp, 118 W. 22d.

DRESSES—Stout and maternity, 1-3 off; season's best styles tricotines, serge, satin, crepe de chine and silk poplin; our own make. Liman Dress Co., 17 West 17th St.

DRESSES—Out of town buyers, Spring line of taffetas, Canton crepe, crepe satins, tricotines and Poiret twill is ready. Max Beckerman, 510 6th Av.

DRESSES—Spring line of silk dresses now ready for the jobbing trade, also big jobs in Fall dresses. Pan-American Dress Co., 12 West 21st. Chelsea 9984.

DRESSES—Jobbers' attention, our Spring line of better made dresses is now ready for inspection. Elite Dress Co., 126 West 34th St., Fitzroy 1984.

DRESSES—Contractor has Spring line ready for your inspection, in taffeta, georgettes and satin, in better grades. 128 West 24th, 7th floor.

DRESSES—Contractor has large jobs tricotines; closing out, $8-$10.50; act quick. J. & M. Dress, 129 West 21st. Watkins 568.

DRESSES—Going out of business, will sell stock of satins, charmeuses, serges and velours very cheap. Belmore, 31 West 31st.

DRESSES—Attention jobbers; our line of taffetas and cottons are ready for your inspection. B. Geist & Co., 28 West 25th.

DRESSES—500 of the better kind, serges, tricotines, velours, at close-out prices. Weingarten Bros. & Co., 151 West 30th.

DRESSES—Better grade silk, chiffon velvet, tricotine, spangled robes, lace and evening dresses. Glockner, 40 West 27th.

DRESSES—Special, beaded georgette dresses for Christmas sales; immediate delivery. Gold Dress, 142 West 24th.

DRESSES—Jobbers, my Spring line is ready for inspection; will submit samples on approval. Jawitz, 139 West 32d.

DRESSES—Styles specially designed to put action into December and January sales; our regular $22.75 models now $10.75. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

DRESSES—1,000 stout serge dresses to close out at a price; sizes 42½ to 52½. Essenar Dress Co., 106 West 32d.

DRESSES—Tricotines, satins, serges, velvets at lowest prices. Tully & Thaw, 1,182 Broadway, Room 404.

DRESSES—Jobbers! Jobbers! Spring line of better grade, advanced models, now ready. M. Kirschner & Sons, 16 East 33d.

DRESSES—Will close a job of high grade serge dresses at great reduction. Rosenthal & Heffer, 89 Madison Av.

DRESSES—Job of evening and georgette dresses to close out cheap. Treo Dress, 54 West 21st, 3d floor.

DRESSES—Better grade charmeuse and tricotine to close out cheap. Harry Eidlinger, 20 West 27th.

DRESSES—Closing out at sacrifice prices satins and charmeuses. I Frank & Son, 8 West 32d.

DRESSES—Serges, satins, taffetas, also party dresses, to close out. Michael Simon, 44 East 32d St.

DRESSES—Job of 1,000, all materials, will close out, great sacrifice. Goldberg Bros., 15 West 30th.

DRESSES—Contractor closing out tricotine, serges, satins; Spring line ready. 8 East 17th, 1st floor.

DRESSES—Removal sale, sacrifice, entire stock tricotines, silks, jerseys. Ruby, 7 West 30th.

DRESSES—Better grade charmeuse and tricotine to close out cheap. Harry Eidlinger, 20 West 27th.

DRESSES—500 beaded charmeuse dresses for Christmas sale. F. W. R. Dress Co., 11 West 20th.

DRESSES, children's, serges, silks, 6-14; $3 up; buy now. Greater N. Y., 244 5th Av.

DRESSES—300 to close out at a sacrifice. Selwell Dress, 147 West 25th, 5th floor.

DRESSES—Tricotine, serges, velours, silks, sacrifice. Nagowitz & Birdt, 132 West 21st.

DRESSES—Children's colored, to close out at a sacrifice. Kellner Bros., 17 East 16th.

DRESSES—300 tricotines, velours, velvets, to close out at sacrifice. Regent, 12 West 32d.

DUVETYNE—Gray, copen, henna, brown, tan and all other shades; immediate delivery. Lowenthal & Rosenberg, 303 5th Av. Longacre 4087.

FUR COATS—Big sacrifice sealine, kit and brown coney, 36x72, for immediate delivery. Winter & Weinstein, 128 West 28th.

FURS—Near seal coats, plain and trimmed; immediate delivery. Kupferberg, 234 W. 38th. Longacre 2674.

FUR—Ringtail, Australian opossum, dyed opossum collars; quantity. Kupferberg, 234 W. 38th.

FURS—Fur coats of all kinds to sell cheap. M. Rosenblat & Sons, 155 West 26th St.

FURS—Marmot coats, to close out. Call Watkins 2297.

GEORGETTES—Navy, black, flesh, white, 55c net. Nabut, Madison Square 5478.

GINGHAMS—Good assortment of tissue checks and chambrays below mill price. Vanderbilt 9399.

GLOVES—16 and 12 buttons, brown, black, white; strap wrist gauntlets, brown, black, white; also cape gauntlets, all good quality; immediate delivery; $3 to $10 below market. B 912 Times Downtown.

HANDKERCHIEFS—Silk handkerchiefs and cotton printed luncheon sets at extremely low prices. Yano & Joko, 440 4th Av.

HOSIERY—10,000 dozen men's, ladies' and children's hose; closing out far below today's mills' price. Washington Mills, 593 Broadway.

HOSIERY—1,300 dozen women's heather hosiery, $3.75 to $8 dozen; children's sport hose, $4.25 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

JACKETS, Navy Pea—Regulation coat, assorted sizes; quantity to close. E 557 Times.

JERKINS—U. S. Army, reclaimed; perfect; quick delivery; cheap; wholesale. Walden. Watkins 7626.

JERSEYS—All worsted, 7, 8 and 12 ounce; immediate delivery. Stuyvesant 8416.

JOBS—Ladies' and children's coats to close out at very low price. Halprin Bros., 36 West 20th.

LACES—Large assortment hand-made laces, cluny, decorative linens, handkerchiefs, &c.; very attractive prices at close out. Czecho Slovak Commercial Corporation of America, 100 West 21st St., New York City.

LACES—Nottingham lace manufacturer will dispose of $100,000 stock, 50 per cent off values; fancy laces; box assortments; goods in this country. S 160 Times.

MACKINAWS—To close out at bargain prices. Sander-Pinsker, 631 Broadway.

MERCHANDISE—U. S. Army, of enormous savings; wholesale. Walden. Watkins 7626.

NECKWEAR—Up-to-date $200,000 stock, sold at one-third cost; silk ties, mufflers, knits, $1.50 dozen up. Seidman, 520 Broadway.

NIGHTGOWNS—Flannelette, heavy flannel; full sizes, double yokes; $8.50 dozen. S. Fazekas & Son, 305 5th Av.

NIGHT GOWNS—Women's flannelette, $7.50, $8.50 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

NOVELTIES—Japanese, metal china and wooden novelties, post cards, &c., just received from Japan. Samuel Kanter, 7 West 22d.

OVERCOATS—Boys', to close out at sacrifice. Sander-Pinsker, 631 Broadway.

PAJAMAS—Big bargains, men's and boys' flannelette and cotton pajamas and nightshirts at closing-out prices; also boys' blouse and shirts; no reasonable offer refused. Shrage & Kaplan, 485 Broadway.

PAJAMAS—Big offer in men's flannel pajamas and complete line of ladies' flannel gowns; sacrifice price. Lippman Underwear Co., 529 Broadway. Spring 1154.

PANTS—Have quantity of all-wool olive drab pants for immediate delivery at rock bottom quotations. William Marks, 1,123 Broadway.

PANTS—Serge, sizes 8-18, well tailored, to close out. Sander-Pinsker, 631 Broadway.

PETTICOATS—At big sacrifice. C. F. Albes Co., 142 East 24th St., City.

PETTICOATS—Jersey, changeable taffeta, $2 up; closing out. Greater N. Y., 244 5th Av.

PIECE GOODS—Closing out at sacrifice prices, 2,000 yards printed voile, 200 yards foulard. Carnation Dress Co., 140 West 22d.

PLUSHES—Poletex, Hudson Bay, furist, sealskinette, Baffin seal, below market price. Fitzroy 4876.

PLUSHES—Peco, prybiloff, poltex, ungava, numola, rexkeramt, chilna, sealart. Stuyvesant 8459.

PLUSHES — Sidney Blumenthal's Ungava seal; price very low. Phone Gramercy 1680.

POIRET TWILLS—High qualities; quantity to close out cheap. Madison Square 8508.

RAINCOATS and Raincloths of all kinds to close out. Model Raincoat Co., 133 West 26th St.

SATIN—Baronette, in all shades; price reasonable. Hurwitz. Fitzroy 2810.

SATIN—Silk brocaded; to close out cheap. Bell Textile Co., 440 Sixth Av.

SERGES and Tricotines — 7614, 7512, 7002, 7120, BPNL, PPL, WFX, 99, [illegible], 5608, 0936, 838, 7038, 9006, 909, DRW, Andrews, Gera tricotines and others. Jerry Samson, 656 Broadway. Spring 2716, 5372.

SERGES—Men's wear, U. S. 929, Pacific FRSL and FWS; close out at a price for cash. Watkins 3814, Ext. 5.

SERGES—7301, 7120, 7614, 7002, 6120; immediate delivery. Chas. Esterson & Co., Stuyvesant 7440.

SERGES—7301, MFL, 87, 7120, SBGL, 1210, Panamas, cream serges. Stats, 151 West 26th.

SERGES, TRICOTINES—54289, 7120, 1464, 235, 5782, other numbers, cheap. Watkins 689.

SERGES—Duvet de laine, gaberdine, navy and black. Halprin, 118 Madison Av.

SERGES—Men's wear, navy; close out cheap for cash. Watkins 7690.

SERGES—54289, 54296, 1464, 78, 7614, 7120, 0936. Stuyvesant 1404.

SERGES—Hamilton WSS, all colors, cheap. Canal 1644.

SERGES—838, U. S. navy, 15 pieces. Call Ashland 7640.

SHIRTS, Silk—Clearance sale of every silk shirt in the house before stock-taking; biggest bargains ever offered in silk shirts. Rainbow Shirt Corporation, 189 Greene St., near Bleecker. Spring 6625.

SHIRTS—Quantity of percale corded and woven madras, silk stripes and fibres, to close out at exceptionally low prices. Dubblewear Shirt Co., 688 Broadway.

SHIRTS—Army and navy shirts; bargain prices; immediate delivery; direct from manufacturer. Sam Jaffe & Sons, 473 Broadway, New York City.

SILKS—Mallinson's fancy lining and navy peau de cyne, to close out. 303 5th Av., Room 1401. Longacre 3950.

SHIRTS—Government standard O. D. shirts for immediate delivery. Greenberg Bros., 560 Broadway.

SILKS—Washable satin, Juilliard's crepe de chines, flesh and white. Wolf, 127 West 26th.

SILK—14 momme pongee, 12 habutai; immediate delivery. Bosher. Spring 3383.

SILKS—Changeable twill messaline; cheap. 54 East 11th. Stuyvesant 6760.

SHIRTS—We are ready with our Spring line, No. 171 Susquehanna poplin at $1.50. Milton Shirt Co., 450 4th Av.

SKIRTS—4,000 assorted plaids; sacrifice price; for January sale. Bahn, 9 West 20th.

SUITS—50 high-grade ladies' and misses' fur-trimmed and plain; closing out. Dan Lutz, 15 West 28th.

SUITS—Sacrificing balance of Fall stock, including fur trimmed. Cohen-Edelman, 35 West 31st.

SUITS—75 better grade fur trimmed and plain, close out very cheap. Samuel Fine, 12 West 27th.

SUITS—100 to close out at a very low price. Hollander, 28 West 25th.

SUITS—To close out, serges, tricotines, poplins. Duberstein, 51 West 13th St.

SUITS—Closing out at a sacrifice. Potter & Schattman, 31 West 31st.

SWEATERS—500 dozen sample sweaters to close out. Washington Mills, 593 B'way.

TOWELS—5,000 dozen Turkish and huck towels to close out far below today's mill prices. Washington Mills, 593 Broadway.

TOY NOVELTIES, imported; spot delivery, or in bond for export; attractive prices for large buyers. Czecho Slovak Commercial Corporation of America, 100 West 21st St., New York City.

TOYS—Celluloid and bisque dolls at extremely low prices. Yano & Joko, 440 4th Av.

TRICOLETTES—Spring and latch needle make, weights 3-5 ounces; immediate delivery; attractive prices; act quickly. C. M. Goldberg, 334 4th Av., 5470 Madison Square.

TRICOLETTES, 70 cents a yard. Arnstein. Madison Square 9600.

TRICOTINE—Closing out, very cheap, all popular makes, including U. S. Goff's, Andrew's American and others; navy, brown, tan, rookie; also high class poiret twill. Madison Square 1520.

TRICOTINE AND SERGE — Navy, black, brown, tan, Rookie, 5782, 235, 1464 and other makes; very cheap. Madison Sq. 5154.

TRICOTINES—Poiret, 5782, 12060, 5615, 5017, 0388, black 795; Lorraine poiret 2050; cheap. Schaffel, Madison Square 8079.

TRICOTINE—Exactly like 0388, sponged and shrunk, $3.50; 2-10x60; Jan. 1 dating. Duval, Stuyvesant 7570.

TRICOTINES—American 0388. American Coat Co., 28 West 27th. Watkins 9304.

TRICOTINES—Fine quality, to close out at $2.45. Atlas Textile, 27 West 27th.

TRICOTINES—Hamilton TRT, navy and black. Canal 1644.

UNDERWEAR—Boys' and girls' fleeced, ribbed union suits, all sizes, $8 dozen. Simon-Kahn, 911 Broadway.

VELOURS—Light and heavy weight; immediate delivery. Grant S. Kelley, Inc., 212 5th Av., Madison Square 5625.

VELOURS—American 13046, all colors, at a very low price; quantities. Madison Square 2024. B. Minker.

VELOURS—Lightweight, for dresses or suits. Atlas Textile, 27 West 27th.

VELOURS—13046, all colors. Store, 11 East 30th. Longacre 5456.

VELVETEEN—English velutina, 27 inches, 5 pieces; good black; 1 piece dark blue; good buy; quick action. Gargoyle Textile Corp. Broad 1727.

VELVETEENS and CHIFFONS—All seasonable shade, all widths; immediate deliveries. Madison Square 8644.

WAISTS—Have 500 dozen dong set-in sleeves Georgette and crepe de chine waists to close out at a very low price. Gainsboro Waist, 134 West 26th, 3d floor.

WAISTS—Going out of business, will close out entire stock georgettes, crepe de chine, satin; regular and extra sizes; very cheap. Belmore, 31 West 31st.

WAISTS—Going out of business, will sacrifice 50 dozen georgette and crepe de chine waists. Marionette Blouse, 119 East 27th, 2d floor.

WAISTS—Closing out at sacrifice 1,000 dozen georgette and crepe de chine. Madison Dress, 31 East 27th. Madison Square 3790.

WAISTS—Closing out georgettes, crepe de chines, tricolettes; wonderful values for January sales. Frank, 130 West 28th.

WAISTS—Plaids, stripes, plain, taffeta, satin, $2 up; exceptional holiday sale; buy now. Greater N. Y., 244 5th Av.

WAISTS and Overblouses—Georgette, crepe de chine and tricolette, to close out. Deutchman Bros., 15 West 20th St.

WAISTS—Contractors on better grade cotton waists. Call with samples only. Biltwell Waist, 15 East 26th.

WAISTS—Crepe de chine, georgette; $5 values sacrifice $1.50. Royal, 45 East 20th.

WOOLENS—Assortment, close out below market price; cash only. Watkins 9404, 46 West 28th.

WRAPS, Coats, better grade reasonable. Rubinstein & Dochter, 140 West 22d.

100,000 PAIRS U. S. Army hip rubber boots, sizes 8 to 12, in five case lots or more, $3 per pair. Chas. Rose, 385 Bridge St., Brooklyn. Nevins 2853.

Contracts Offered.

CONTRACTORS Wanted—We are placing orders on better-class dresses for the Spring; call with samples between 8-9 and 5-6. 6th floor, 6 West 20th.

CONTRACTOR—We are placing orders on better class dresses for Spring; call with samples all week. 24 West 25th, 3d floor.

CONTRACTORS Wanted—Making dresses of the "better kind." Call with samples. S. G. Robinson & Co., 7 West 30th St.

MANUFACTURERS wish to connect with a few contractors who make medium and better grade dresses; must produce own styles; call with samples Wednesday, Thursday, Friday from 9 A. M. to 11 A. M. Room 314, at 1,204 Broadway.

Allied Industries.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—Imported violins, all sizes, large stock, for immediate delivery; violins $3.50 each and up. Czecho-Slovak Commercial Corporation of America, 100 West 21st St., New York City.

RAZORS—Gillette, 10 days delivery; enormous savings; wholesale. Walden, Watkins 7626.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS at enormous savings. Walden, Watkins 7626.

Situations Wanted.

SALESMAN, strong following Middle West, ladies' hand bags, desires connection with established, reliable concern. Write F. S., 520 Presbyterian Building.

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LONDON

FINANCIAL MARKETS

Irregular Movement of Stocks—Money Unchanged, Silver at New Low Level.

The ebb and flow of speculative influences more than anything else was illustrated by yesterday's markets. On Monday the important commodity markets had advanced rapidly while prices on the Stock Exchange were declining. Yesterday, despite an irregular movement and a number of further declines, the stock market showed considerably more registering power, but grain and cotton lost practically all of the previous day's gain in prices.

In the stock market there were numerous sharp recoveries during the forenoon, affecting both railway and industrial shares and possibly representing re-purchases by professional sellers of yesterday; but the same kind of speculative pressure as prevailed the day before checked this advance and caused further net declines in the greater part of the list. But the whole movement again had the mark of professional activities; it was not of itself important, and in the end the losses in one set of stocks were offset by advances in others. The weakness, especially in some of the industrial shares, was popularly ascribed to Wall Street "rumor" that there might be further reduction in dividends of producing companies. It would be somewhat surprising if some such reductions or omissions should not occur; there cannot be a fall in prices and contraction of credit like that of the present season without affecting dividends.

But prediction as to such action is worthless if it is undiscriminating. Some industrial companies had cut rashly into their surplus for dividend purposes, before the reversal of trade conditions occurred; others had pursued a careful and judicious policy, accumulating in the time of good business a reserve which could, if advisable, be used for maintaining dividends when profits had fallen off. With the last-named group, dividend policy is more likely to be determined by the developments of next year than by anything that has already happened.

Silver bullion, after reaching on Monday the low level of the year to date, declined a halfpenny further yesterday at London and 2⅛ cents at New York. At the day's New York price of 65⅞ cents an ounce for foreign silver, the bullion contained in our silver dollar is intrinsically worth a fraction under 51 cents. The foreign exchange market was irregular, early weakness being followed by recovery, with the Paris rate closing at a further measurable net decline.

The Government's report on our October exports and imports, classified by countries of destination or origin, is interesting for several reasons. One of the influences on European exchange rates is shown by the fact that, despite the heavy decline in average prices, the excess of exports over imports in our trade of that month with Europe was $345,000,000, whereas it was only $222,000,000 in September and $317,000,000 in October of 1919. But the change is also a matter of prices and domestic trade. The month's imports from Europe as a whole were surprisingly little changed from September or a year ago; but our October exports to that continent increased $119,000,000 over September and $35,000,000 over 1919, and the increase was unquestionably a reflection of the reduced American prices. Of cotton in particular, it will be remembered, we exported in October more than double the September shipment, and the greater part of the increase came from European orders.

It is especially noteworthy that our exports to France should have increased $31,800,000 over the preceding month and $11,600,000 over last year; they were in fact much the largest reported in any month since June of 1919. In considerable measure this may indicate revival of manufacturing activity in France. A country which buys from us, as France has done since the beginning of August, 100,000 bales more of cotton than in the corresponding period of 1919, must have many more spindles busy. But the problem of these countries, of paying their accumulated international trade indebtedness in merchandise, is not made simpler by this turn in the present season's trade balance. It is also noteworthy, in view of subsequent incidents in the export trade, that while our imports from Asia and South America decreased in October as compared with September, our exports to both continents increased heavily.

MONEY.

TUESDAY, DEC. 7.

Money on call on the Stock Exchange continued to rule at 7 per cent. all day Monday. New borrowing was small. Time money likewise showed no change over quotations ruling now for the better part of the last ten days. On mixed collateral the range was 7½@7¾ per cent. for 60-90 days, and 7½ per cent. for 4, 5 and 6 months. On all industrials, prevailing quotation is 7¾@7⅞ per cent. Merchants' paper, choice names, discounts at 7¾ per cent., but the bulk of the business is going at 8 per cent. Interior banks are the principal bidders in a quiet market.

Call Loans.

Renewal.	High.	Low.	Last.	Monday's Last.
7	7	7	7	7

Time Loans.

Mixed collateral, 60 to 90 days ... 7½@7¾
4, 5 and 6 months ... 7½
All industrial collateral, 60-90 days, 7¾@7⅞; 4, 5 and 6 months ... 7¾@7⅞

Commercial Paper.

Best names, 3 to 6 months ... 7¾@8
Other names, 3 to 6 months ... 8 @8¼

Discount Rates, Federal Reserve Bank.

Commercial paper, 15 days, 7; 16 to 90 days ... 8
Liberty bonds and Victory notes, 15 days, 6; 16 to 90 days ... 6
Bankers' acceptances, 15 to 90 days ... 6

Open Market Rates.

Prime eligible acceptances, on call ... 6
Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days ... 6⅛@6⅜
Non-member and private bankers, eligible, 60 to 90 days ... 6¼@6½
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days ... 7 @7½

London Market.

Money on London market Tuesday unchanged at 4¾ per cent.; short bills unchanged at 6¾ per cent.; three months' bills unchanged at 6¾ per cent. Gold bullion on the open London market was up 7d at 118s 9d per fine ounce. Mint parity, 85s.

Clearing House Exchanges.

Tuesday's exchange of checks at the New York Clearing House, $785,354,446; balances, $67,246,448; Federal Reserve Bank's credit balance, $50,454,113. Exchanges for the same day a year ago, $977,392,505.

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	55.62	54.77	55.12	+.10
25 industrials	89.77	87.96	88.85	−.41
50 stocks	72.69	71.36	71.98	−.16

DAILY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Dec. 6	73.08	71.69	72.14	−1.33
Dec. 4	73.72	72.70	73.47	+1.01
Dec. 3	72.86	71.00	72.46	−.24
Dec. 2	73.41	71.34	72.70	+.07
Dec. 1	72.31	70.17	72.63	+.40
Nov. 30	72.64	71.35	71.63	−.66

MONTHLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

Dec.	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920	73.72	Dec. 2	70.17	Dec. 1	71.98
1919	90.40	Dec. 26	84.10	Dec. 12	89.69
1918	76.34	Dec. 11	71.42	Dec. 26	73.89
1917	66.26	Dec. 31	57.43	Dec. 20	65.88
1916	89.26	Dec. 4	83.88	Dec. 21	88.22

YEARLY RANGE OF 50 STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920	94.07	Apr. 8	68.85	Nov. 20	71.98
†1919	96.59	Nov. 5	69.73	Jan. 21	87.86
Full Years.					
1919	99.59	Nov. 5	69.74	Jan. 21	89.69
1918	80.16	Nov. 12	64.12	Jan. 15	73.89
1917	90.46	Jan. 4	57.47	Dec. 20	65.88
1916	101.51	Nov. 20	80.91	Apr. 22	88.22

BONDS.

YESTERDAY'S CLOSE.

		Net Change. Day.	Month.	Year.
40 issues	69.18	−.32	−3.45	−2.63

DAILY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

Dec. 6	69.50	−.24	Nov. 26	70.21	−.07
Dec. 4	69.74	+.05	Nov. 25	Holiday.	
Dec. 3	69.69	−.06	Nov. 24	70.28	−.13
Dec. 2	69.75	−.15	Nov. 23	70.41	+.11
Dec. 1	69.90	−.22	Nov. 22	70.30	+.22
Nov. 30	70.12	−.07	Nov. 20	70.08	+.27
Nov. 29	70.19	+.06	Nov. 19	70.21	−.13
Nov. 27	70.13	−.08	Nov. 18	70.34	−.26

YEARLY RANGE OF 40 BONDS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1920	73.14	Oct. 21	65.57	May 21	69.18
†1919	79.05	June 2	71.60	Dec. 3	71.81
Full Years.					
1919	79.05	June 2	71.05	Dec. 18	72.00
1918	82.36	Nov. 12	75.65	Sep. 27	73.78
1917	89.48	Jan. 20	74.24	Dec. 20	76.80

*To date. †To corresponding date last year.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Early Weakness in European Rates Followed by Recovery—Argentine Rates Higher.

Yesterday's foreign exchange market was much unsettled, with early declines of 1⅝ cent. per pound in sterling and of ½ cent in the rate on Paris. Later in the day a general recovery in European rates occurred, which left Italian and German exchange at a slight net advance for the day, but sterling, francs and pesetas at a net decline. Rates on Central European markets and on Scandinavia closed a shade better than on Monday.

Rates on the Far East declined with silver. Exchange on Buenos Aires was a shade better, on Brazil a fraction lower.

TUESDAY, DEC. 7, 1920.

Range of Rates, Sight Exchange.

	High.	Low.	Final.	Monday's Final.
LONDON	$3.44	$3.42¾	$3.43¾	$3.44⅝
PARIS	5.88½	5.85¼	5.86½	5.90¼
ROME	3.52	3.49	3.52	3.51
AMSTERDAM	30.40	30.32	30.40	30.40
BERLIN	1.33½	1.26	1.33½	1.29
MADRID	12.85	12.81	12.85	12.93

CLOSING RATES.

Parity of exchange is given as reported by the United States Mint, except in countries with a silver standard, where parity fluctuates with the prices of silver.

Europe.

	Tuesday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
STERLING—Par $4.86⅝ per sovereign.			
Demand	3.43¾	3.48½	3.81½
Cables	3.44½	3.48⅞	3.82¼
Com., 60 days	3.39	3.43	3.76
Com., 90 days	3.38¾	3.40⅝	3.74
FRANCE—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	5.86½	6.06	8.44
Cables	5.87¼	6.07	8.46
ITALY—Par 19.3 cents per lira.			
Demand	3.52	3.66	7.51
Cables	3.53	3.67	7.53
BELGIUM—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	6.22½	6.41	8.96
Cables	6.23¾	6.42	9.00
GERMANY—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	1.33½	1.45½	1.90
Cables	1.34	1.46	1.91
AUSTRIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.31	.32	.70
Cables	.31½	.33	.72
CZECHOSLOVAKIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	1.17	1.21	2.00
Cables	1.20	1.23	2.02
DENMARK—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	14.20	13.50	18.15
Cables	14.25	13.55	18.30
FINLAND—Par 19.3 cents per finmark.			
Demand	2.00	2.20	3.00
Cables	2.05	2.21	3.05
GREECE—Par 19.3 cents per drachma.			
Demand	7.95	8.35	15.73
Cables	8.00	8.40	15.83
HOLLAND—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	30.40	30.45	38.125
Cables	30.50	30.55	38.25
HUNGARY—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.21	.22	...
Cables	.23	.23	...
JUGOSLAVIA—Par 20.3 cents per crown.			
Demand	.78	.80	.93
Cables	.80	.82	.95
NORWAY—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	14.15	13.50	20.35
Cables	14.20	13.55	20.50
POLAND—Par 23.8 cents per mark.			
Demand	.17½	.19	1.25
Cables	.18	.20	1.27
RUMANIA—Par 19.3 cents per leu.			
Demand	1.39	1.49	3.40
Cables	1.41	1.51	3.45
SERBIA: Belgrade—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	3.15	3.25	5.00
Cables	3.20	3.28	5.05
SPAIN—Par 19.3 cents per peseta.			
Demand	12.85	13.16	19.90
Cables	12.87	13.18	20.05
SWEDEN—Par 26.8 cents per krone.			
Demand	19.20	19.40	21.00
Cables	19.25	19.45	21.75
SWITZERLAND—Par 19.3 cents per franc.			
Demand	15.52	15.67	19.31
Cables	15.55	15.70	19.38

Far East.

	Monday.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
CHINA—Cents per silver dollar for Hongkong; per tael for Shanghai and Peking.			
Hongkong, demand	58.00	62.00	100.00
Hongkong, cables	58.10	62.10	100.50
Peking, demand	82.00	86.00	171.00
Shanghai, demand	75.50	79.50	150.00
Shanghai, cables	75.75	80.00	150.50
INDIA—Calcutta: Cents per rupee, stabilized at one-tenth of a pound sterling.			
Demand	26.00	28.50	46.00
Cables	26.50	28.75	46.25
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—Manila: Par 50 cents per silver peso.			
Demand	45.50	46.25	49.00
Cables	46.00	46.50	49.25
JAVA—Par 40.2 cents per florin.			
Demand	31.50	32.50	...
JAPAN—Par 49.8 cents per yen.			
Demand	50.375	50.375	50.50
Cables	50.625	50.625	50.75

South America.

ARGENTINA—Par 42.44c per Arg. paper dol.			
Demand	33.50	34.50	43.15
Cables	33.625	34.625	43.25
BRAZIL—Par 32.45 cents per paper milreis.			
Demand	16.125	16.875	28.125
Cables	16.25	17.00	28.25

Canada.

MONTREAL—Par 100c per Canadian dollar.			
Demand	86.3	88.1	94.5

Russian Currency.

Prices for pre-revolution Russian ruble notes were as follows: Par 51.40 cents per ruble:

	Bid.	Asked.
100 ruble notes, per ruble	.65	.75
500 ruble notes, per ruble	.55	.60

SILVER BULLION.

Bar silver in London ½d lower at 43⅜d per ounce. New York prices for bar silver unchanged at 99½c per ounce, the Mint price; foreign silver, 2⅛c lower at 65⅞c.

Range of prices for silver bullion this month:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
London	44¾d	Dec. 3	43⅜d	Dec. 7
New York	70c	Dec. 3	65⅞c	Dec. 7

Range for the present year to date:

	Highest.		Lowest.	
London	89½d	Feb. 11	43⅜d	Dec. 7
New York	$1.37	Jan. 11	65⅞c	Dec. 7

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.

TUESDAY, DEC. 7, 1920.

Day's Sales.	Monday.	Saturday.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.	Year to Date.	Same Period 1919.	1918.	1917.
728,311	710,417	408,935	965,526	624,200	204,691,399½	295,801,599	134,726,618	175,248,193

Closing Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
50¾	51¼	300	Advance Rumely pf.	50¼	50¾	50¼	50¾	+¾
32	32½	700	Ajax Rubber	32⅛	32⅛	32	32	...
1⅛	1¼	800	Alaska Gold Mines	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1¼	...
1⅛	1¼	300	Alaska Juneau	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	...
51½	52	2,400	Allied C. & D., w. i.	51½	51½	51⅛	51½	−¼
88½	89	100	Allied C.& D.pf., w.i.	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	−⅛
30½	31¼	1,100	Allis-Chalmers	31½	31½	31	31	+¼
74	75	100	Allis-Chalmers pf.	73½	73½	73½	73½	−1½
53¼	53½	2,900	Am. Agri. Chem.	52¼	55½	52¼	53⅝	−2½
80⅛	81½	200	Am. Agri. Chem. pf.	81	81	81	81	+¾
53⅛	53½	100	Am. Beet Sugar	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛	...
66½	66¾	100	Am. Bosch Magneto	67	67	67	67	−½
25¾	26	1,800	Am. Can	25⅞	26¼	25¾	25¾	−⅛
79½	81	1,500	Am. Can pf.	80¾	80⅞	79⅞	79⅞	−1⅛
125⅛	126	500	Am. Car & Fy.	125⅛	125⅛	125⅛	125⅛	−1⅛
108	114	100	Am. Car & Fy. pf.	110¼	110¼	110¼	110¼	+1¼
18¼	18¾	5,700	Am. Cotton Oil	17⅞	19⅛	17⅞	18⅝	+⅞
7½	7¾	1,400	Am. Drug. Synd.	7⅛	7⅝	7⅛	7⅝	+⅝
8⅜	8¾	300	Am. Hide & L.	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	−⅛
47½	48¼	800	Am. Hide & L. pf.	48⅛	48¼	48	48	−½
41	41½	100	Am. Ice	41½	41½	41½	41½	...
40⅝	40¾	5,800	Am. International	40⅛	40⅝	39¾	40¼	−⅜
60	60½	800	Am. Linseed	61½	61½	60	60	+¼
86	88	100	Am. Linseed pf.	86	86	86	86	−1¾
84½	85	1,100	Am. Locomotive	84¼	85½	84¼	84½	+¼
9⅝	9¾	1,100	Am. Safety Razor	9¾	9⅞	9⅝	9¾	+¼
9⅞	10	4,100	Am. Ship & Com.	9¾	10	9⅝	10	+⅝
45¾	45⅞	1,100	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	45⅝	46⅛	45¼	46	...
85½	86	200	Am. Smelt. & R. pf.	86¼	86¼	86	86	−1¼
33¼	33⅜	1,300	Am. Steel Fy.	33⅜	33⅝	33⅛	33¼	−⅛
92¼	92¾	1,600	Am. Sugar Ref.	93	93⅛	91½	92¼	−1¼
101¼	102	300	Am. Sugar Ref. pf.	102	102	101½	101⅞	−⅛
71½	72	1,200	Am. Sumatra Tob.	74¼	74¾	71½	71½	−2⅝
98¾	99¼	2,100	Am. Tel. & Tel.	98¾	99¼	98¾	99	+¼
116	116¼	900	Am. Tobacco	117¼	117¼	116⅛	116⅛	−1⅛
113½	113¾	700	Am. Tob., Class B	114	114	113¾	113¾	−¾
89½	89¾	200	Am. Tobacco pf.	90¼	90¼	89¾	89¾	−½
71¾	72	8,900	Am. Woolen	72½	73¼	71	71⅝	−1⅜
93⅛	93½	100	Am. Woolen pf.	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜	+⅛
36⅛	37	200	Am. W. Paper pf.	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	−1⅛
7⅛	7¾	600	Am. Zinc, L. & S.	7	7⅛	7	7	...
39⅛	39¼	4,200	Anaconda Copper	38⅞	39¼	38¾	39¼	+¼
2⅜	3¼	200	Assets Realization	2⅞	2⅞	2¾	2⅞	−⅛
21	22	100	Asso. Dry Goods	21½	21½	21⅛	21½	−⅛
53	54	100	Asso. Dry G. 1st pf.	54½	54½	54½	54½	+½
94	100	100	Associated Oil	94	94	94	94	−8
82¾	83	2,100	Atch., T. & S. F.	83	83¼	82¾	83	...
76	76½	1,200	Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	76⅞	76⅞	76½	76½	−½
6¼	6⅝	300	Atlanta, Birm. & At.	6½	6½	6½	6½	−¼
87	88	400	Atlantic Coast Line	87⅛	87⅞	87⅛	87⅞	+¾
10	10½	100	Atlantic Fruit	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	−⅜
112	112½	8,600	Atlantic, G. & W. I.	109	114	109	112½	+2½
57	60	500	At., G. & W. I. pf.	60	60	60	60	...
18½	19½	200	Atlas Tack	19½	19½	19½	19½	...
12½	13½	100	Austin Nichols	13	13	13	13	...
94¼	94⅝	9,400	Baldwin Locomo.	95	95½	93⅝	94¼	−¼
36¾	36⅞	4,200	Baltimore & Ohio	36⅞	37	36	36⅞	−1⅛
...	40	100	Barnsdall, Class A	36	36	36	36	+⅜
118½	120	700	Barrett Ch.Cn.c.of d.	118¼	119	118¼	119	+1
102	103¾	100	Do pf. c.of d.	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	−1
2⅝	3	400	Bethlehem Motors	3	3	2⅞	2⅞	+⅛
54¾	55	4,600	Beth. Steel, Class B	54⅝	55⅝	54½	54⅝	−½
90	95	800	Beth. Steel 7% pf.	90⅛	90¼	90⅛	90¼	−⅝
3¾	4	700	Booth Fisheries	3⅞	3⅞	3¾	3⅞	+⅛
10	10½	1,100	Brook. Rapid Tran.	10½	10½	10⅛	10⅛	−⅛
6⅝	7	400	B. R. T. cfs. of dep.	6⅞	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	+⅛
85½	86	400	Burns Brothers	86⅝	86⅝	85½	85½	−1½
5	5¼	200	Butte Cop. & Zinc	5	5⅛	5	5⅛	...
10⅞	11	300	Butte & Superior	11	11	11	11	...
10½	11	100	Butterick Co	10½	10½	10½	10½	−½
15⅝	16	400	Caddo Cent. O. & R.	15⅝	15⅞	15⅜	15⅝	+½
63¾	64	500	Cal. Packing	63⅞	64½	63⅞	64	−¾
23¾	24	6,300	Cal. Petroleum	22¾	24½	22	23⅞	+1⅜
40	...	200	Canada Southern	40	40	40	40	−2
115⅛	115½	1,200	Canadian Pacific	115⅛	115¾	115	115¼	+⅛
7	7½	200	Case (J. I.) Plow	7⅛	7¼	7⅛	7¼	+½
83	85	100	Case (J. I.) Co. pf.	84	84	84	84	...
38⅞	39	2,500	Central Leather Co.	39⅛	39⅝	38¾	38⅞	−⅝
90	92	200	Central Leather pf.	90	91	90	91	+1⅛
26½	27⅛	3,300	Cerro de Pasco Cop.	29⅝	29⅝	25¼	27	−2½
76	76¾	2,600	Chandler Motor	76¾	78	76	76¼	−⅜
62½	63	200	Chesapeake & Ohio	62⅝	62⅝	62½	62½	+⅛
8	10	100	Chicago & Alton	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	−⅜
7⅞	8	3,200	Chi. Great Western	8¼	8⅝	7⅞	8	−½
19¼	19½	2,800	Chi. Gt. Western pf.	20⅛	20⅛	19⅛	19⅛	−1
30½	31	4,500	Chi., M. & St. Paul	30	30⅝	30	30⅝	+⅝
49⅜	50	2,700	Chi., M. & St. P. pf.	50	50	49½	49¾	−½
74	74½	700	Chi. & Northwest	74	74¼	74	74¼	−½
107	111	100	Chi. & Northw. pf.	109¾	109¾	109¾	109¾	−½
69¼	70	400	Chi. Pneu. Tool	68	69¾	67	69¾	+1¼
29½	30	2,000	Chi., R. I. & Pac.	29⅛	30	29⅛	29¾	−¼
77	77½	200	C., R. I. & P. 7% pf.	77⅛	77⅛	77	77	−1
66	67	500	C., R. I. & P. 6% pf.	66⅝	66¾	66	66	−⅝
65	70	100	C., St. P., M. & Om.	69	69	69	69	−¾
90	94	200	C., St. P., M.& O.pf.	93	93	93	93	+4
8¾	8⅞	7,900	Chile Copper	8⅝	8⅞	8⅝	8¾	−¼
18⅝	18¾	4,400	Chino Copper	18⅝	18⅝	18¼	18½	−¼
65	70	100	C., C., C. & St. L.pf.	66	66	66	66	−½
22	22¼	3,500	Coca-Cola	21⅛	22	21	22	−½
28⅝	29¼	100	Col. & Southern	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	+½
56⅝	57	1,000	Columbia Gas & El	57¼	57¼	56½	56⅞	−¼
12⅝	12⅞	3,800	Columbia Graph.	13	13¼	12⅝	12⅝	−1⅛
38	40	100	Computing Tab R.	39⅞	39⅞	39⅝	39⅝	−¼
79	80½	800	Consolidated Gas	80⅛	80½	79¼	79½	−⅝
7¼	7½	400	Con. Int. Cal. Min.	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	−½
19½	20	1,000	Consol. Textile	20	20	19½	19½	+¼
62⅜	63	300	Continental Can	63	63	62⅝	63	−¾
5½	5⅝	200	Continental Candy	5½	5½	5⅛	5⅛	+⅞
67	69	200	Continental Insur.	67	67	66⅝	66⅞	...
71¼	71½	16,400	Corn Products Ref.	72	73	70	71½	−¼
99	101	100	Do pf.	100	100	100	100	−⅝
31	33	700	Cosden & Co.	31⅛	32	31⅛	31½	...
92¼	92½	8,600	Crucible Steel	94	94¾	91½	92¼	...
85⅛	86	100	Do pf.	85	85	85	85	−1½
23	24	5,300	Cuba Cane Sugar	24	24¼	22⅝	22⅞	...
67¼	68¼	1,000	Do pf.	68⅛	68⅞	67½	67½	−1⅜
30½	31½	900	Cuban Am. Sugar	30⅞	31⅛	30¼	30⅝	−⅞
30	32	200	Davison Chemical	30½	30½	30½	30½	−1¼
⅝	1	500	Den. & Rio Grande	1	1	1	1	−¾
1	1⅛	2,000	Do pf.	⅞	1⅛	⅞	1	...
11	11¼	400	Dome Mines	11¼	11¼	11	11	+⅛
3½	4	100	Dul., S. S. & Atl.	4	4	4	4	−⅜
14	14¼	600	Erie	14	14¼	14	14	−⅛
20¾	21¼	2,000	Do 1st pf.	20⅞	21⅞	20⅝	20¾	+⅛
14½	15	100	Do 2d pf.	14⅝	14¾	14⅝	14¾	−¼
53½	54	600	Famous Players-L.	53½	54	53¼	53½	+¼
10	15	100	Fed. M. & S. pf.	28	28	28	28	+½
88¼	95	100	Fisher Body	88½	88½	88½	88½	...
11⅝	11¾	6,400	Fisk Rubber	11⅝	12⅜	11½	11½	−½
16	16¾	900	Freeport-Texas	16	16⅜	15¾	16	−⅛
3	3¼	1,300	Gaston, W. & W.	3⅛	3¼	3	3⅛	...
...	...	300	G. Ch., Ch. C.c.of d.	134¾	134¾	134¾	134¾	+⅛
...	...	53	Do odd lot	131½	131½	131½	131½	...
130	130¼	4,500	General Electric	129	130¼	129	130¼	...
15¼	15⅝	14,500	General Motors	15⅛	15⅝	15	15¼	+1⅝
73	74	300	Do 7% deb.	73½	73½	73⅛	73⅛	+¼
64⅝	65¼	200	Do 6% deb.	65⅝	65⅝	65	65	−⅝
42¼	42½	800	Goodrich (B.F.) Co.	42¾	42¾	41⅞	42	−¼
78	79	200	Do pf.	78½	78½	78½	78½	+⅛
19½	20	300	Granby Consol.	19½	19½	19¼	19½	−1
78½	79¼	1,400	Gt. Northern pf.	78½	79	78¼	78½	−⅞
29	29⅝	700	Do ctfs. for ore p.	29½	29½	29	29	...
20⅝	22	600	Greene Can. Copper	20⅝	20¾	20⅝	20¾	−¾
15⅝	16	300	Guantanamo Sugar	15½	16	15½	16	+⅛
24	25½	200	Gulf. Mob. & N. pf.	24½	24½	24½	24½	+½
57	58	200	Haskell & Barker	57½	57½	57½	57½	−½
16	16¾	300	Hendee Mfg.	16¾	16¾	16½	16½	−⅝
...	...	100	Hocking Valley	58	58	58	58	−½
52	55	200	Homestake Mining	53	53	53	53	−2
86	87	1,300	Houston Oil	86	87	84½	86¼	...
10⅝	10¾	200	Hupp Motor Car	10¾	10¾	10⅝	10⅝	+¾
19	21	100	Hydraulic Steel	19	19	19	19	...
87½	88	100	Illinois Central	88	88	88	88	...
6⅞	7⅛	400	Indiahoma Refin.	7	7	6⅞	7	+1
32⅛	32½	2,400	Inspiration Copper	32¼	32⅝	32⅛	32⅛	+⅛
4	4½	2,300	Interboro Con.	4½	4½	4	4	−⅛
10	10¼	3,000	Interboro Con. pf.	10½	10½	10	10	−⅛
11⅞	12	800	Int. Agricultural	13⅛	13½	12	12	−½
46	49	700	Int. Agricul. pf.	52½	52½	49½	49½	−2
97⅜	98½	825	Int. Harvester, new	97	98	97	97½	−3¼
14¼	14½	1,000	Int. Mer. Marine	14⅝	14⅝	14¼	14¼	+⅝
52⅞	53½	2,600	Int. Mer. Mar. pf.	53	53½	52⅞	53½	−½
29½	30½	400	Int. Motor Truck	30½	30¾	29½	29⅝	+½
14⅛	14¼	3,400	Int. Nickel	14	14½	14	14⅛	−⅝
82	85	100	Int. Nickel pf.	82½	82½	82½	82½	...
50	50¼	2,400	Int. Paper	50	52	49¼	50	−½
24	24¼	1,700	Invincible Oil	24⅛	24½	23½	24	+⅜
32	33	100	Iron Products	34	34	34	34	−¾
5¼	5⅜	3,400	Island Oil & Trans.	5⅛	5⅜	5⅛	5¼	+½
20⅛	20⅜	1,300	Kansas City South.	20⅛	20⅞	20⅛	20¼	...

Closing Bid.	Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
46	47	300	Kansas City So. pf.	46	46	46	46	+½
40½	41	1,800	Kelly Springf. Tire	40	40½	39¼	40½	−⅛
18½	18⅝	4,500	Kennecott Copper	18¾	18¾	18⅝	18⅝	...
7⅝	7¾	1,700	Keystone Tire & R.	8⅛	8⅛	7⅝	7⅝	−⅝
54	55	1,800	Lackawanna Steel	55¼	55½	54⅛	54½	−½
18½	19	100	Lee Rubber & Tire	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼	+¼
52	52½	4,500	Lehigh Valley	50	53	50	52	+2¼
138	144	500	Liggett & Myers	140	140¼	140	140¼	...
137½	144	150	Do., Class B	138	138	138	138	+½
17⅛	17¼	1,100	Loews Incorporated	17½	17½	17⅛	17⅛	−½
9⅝	10	400	Loft Incorporated	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	+⅛
134	135	400	Lorillard (P.) Co.	136	136	134	134⅛	−1⅛
100½	101½	200	Louis. & Nash.	100¼	101	100¼	101	...
...	...	300	Mackay Cos.	58	58	57½	57½	−½
10½	16	100	Mallinson & Co.	13	13	13	13	+1
...	...	100	Manhattan Shirt	16½	16½	16½	16½	−¼
13	14	300	Martin-Parry	14	14	13½	14	...
2½	2⅞	100	Maxwell Motors	2½	2½	2½	2½	...
73	74½	800	May Dept. Stores	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	−⅜
173½	174¼	38,700	Mexican Petroleum	173	177½	170¼	174	+1⅝
15¾	16¼	900	Miami Copper	15⅛	16	15⅛	16	+½
13⅛	13¼	14,100	Middle States Oil	13½	13¾	13	13¼	−⅛
31½	32	5,800	Midvale Steel	31¼	31¾	31¼	31½	...
12	12¼	600	Minn. & St. L., new	12¼	12¼	12¼	12¼	−¼
3½	3¾	1,300	Mo., Kan. & Texas	3½	3¾	3½	3½	...
19⅞	20	4,700	Missouri Pacific	20⅝	21	20	20	−¼
41¾	42½	2,200	Missouri Pacific pf.	41½	42¾	41¼	42	+⅛
51½	53	200	Montana Power	52½	52½	52	52	−1
95	96	100	Montana Power pf.	95	95	95	95	...
16¾	17	1,700	Montgomery-Ward	17⅝	17⅝	17	17	−⅜
23	23½	200	Mullins Body	23½	23½	23½	23½	−¼
106	108	100	Nash., C. & St. L.	106½	106½	106½	106½	−½
29	29¼	200	Nat. Acme	29¼	29¼	29⅛	29⅛	−¼
52¾	53	1,700	Nat. An. & Ch. ctfs.	53	53	52⅞	53	+⅛
88	89½	300	Nat. An. & C. pf.cfs.	89¼	89¼	89	89	+½
104	106	200	Nat. Biscuit	105	105	104⅛	104⅛	−½
107	109	300	Nat. Biscuit pf.	107½	107¾	107	107	+½
26½	27½	100	Nat. Cloak & Suit	27⅝	27⅞	27⅝	27⅝	−1⅝
68	70	100	Nat. Cloak & S. pf.	70	70	70	70	−1
3¾	3⅞	800	Nat. Cond. & Cable	4	4	3¾	3⅞	...
50¼	51	900	Nat. Enam. & St.	50⅛	51	50⅛	50½	+½
102	103	100	Nat. Lead pf.	102½	102½	102½	102½	...
6	6⅞	100	N. Rys. of M. 2d pf.	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	...
8¾	8⅞	3,000	Nevada Con. Cop.	8⅞	8⅞	8⅝	8¾	−¼
62	63	100	N. O., Tex. & Mex.	62½	62½	62½	62½	+1
73½	73¾	2,400	N. Y. Central	74	74⅛	73¼	73½	−⅜
20	23	700	N. Y. Dock	20¾	21½	20¼	20¼	−⅛
19½	19¾	10,300	N. Y., N. H. & H.	19⅜	20½	19⅜	19⅝	+¼
18	18½	800	N. Y., Ont. & West.	18¾	18¾	18	18	−¾
98¾	99½	900	Norfolk & Western	99	99¼	98¾	98¾	+⅛
52½	53	400	North American	52⅛	52½	52⅛	52¼	−⅝
83½	84	2,200	Northern Pacific	84	84⅛	83½	83⅝	−⅛
37	37½	400	Nova Scotia S. & C.	37	37	37	37	−½
4¼	4½	200	Ontario Mining	4½	4½	4½	4½	...
3⅜	3½	5,100	Okla. Prod. & Ref.	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	−⅛
26½	27	400	Orpheum Circuit	26½	26⅝	26½	26½	+⅛
126	128	100	Otis Elevator	126¼	126¼	126¼	126¼	−1⅝
15	15⅝	700	Otis Steel	15	15⅛	15	15⅛	+⅛
18	18½	700	Pacific Develop.	18½	18½	18	18⅜	−¼
47¾	48	200	Pacific Gas & Elec.	47½	47⅞	47½	47⅞	+⅛
38	38⅛	2,200	Pacific Oil w. i.	38⅛	38¼	37⅞	38¼	+¾
83	83¼	14,800	Pan-Am. P. & T.	82½	83⅜	81⅝	83¼	+1⅝
76	77	1,600	Do., Class B	76	77	76	77	+1½
40½	40⅝	5,000	Penn. R. R.	40⅝	40⅝	40⅜	40½	...
9⅞	10	100	Penn. Seab. Steel	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	...
36	36½	1,000	People's Gas, Chi.	35¼	36	35	36	+½
18¾	19	1,500	Pere Marquette	19½	19½	18½	19	−¾
31¾	32½	1,800	Phillips Petroleum	32½	32⅝	31¼	31¾	+⅛
35	36	500	Philadelphia Co.	35⅝	35⅝	35⅛	35¼	−⅝
22¼	23	2,400	Pierce-Arrow	23½	23½	22	22½	−⅞
75½	78½	200	Do pf.	78½	78½	77½	77½	−4½
12	12¼	500	Pierce Oil	12¼	12¼	12	12	−⅛
81	81¾	100	Do 8% pf.	81	81	81	81	−¾
84	86	200	Pitts. Steel pf.	84¼	84¼	84¼	84¼	−½
31¼	32	1,200	Pitts. & West Va.	31½	31½	31	31¼	+½
13	13½	100	Pond Creek Coal	13½	13½	13½	13½	−⅝
83	86	500	Pressed Steel Car.	83½	83½	83	83	−1
103	103½	600	Pullman Company	103⅛	103¾	103⅛	103¼	−½
52	53	800	Punta Alegre Sugar	52⅛	52¾	52	52⅝	−⅝
33½	33⅞	2,400	Pure Oil	33⅞	34	33¾	33⅞	−⅛
85	87	200	Ry. Steel Spring	86	86	86	86	+¾
11⅞	12	4,000	Ray Con. Copper	11⅝	11⅞	11½	11⅞	+⅛
88⅝	88¾	17,900	Reading	87¼	89¼	87¼	88⅝	−1⅛
56½	56¾	1,800	Do 1st pf.	55¼	57¼	55¼	57⅛	+2⅛
57½	58	1,100	Do 2d pf.	58	58⅜	57⅛	57⅛	+1½
34¾	35	300	Remington Typew'r	35	35	34¾	34¾	−¼
70¾	72	1,600	Replogle Steel	70¾	71	70	70½	−½
67	67½	2,200	Rep. Iron & Steel	67	67⅝	66¾	67¼	+¼
23	23¼	1,700	Rep. Motor Truck	25½	25½	22¼	23	−2¾
65⅛	65¼	11,200	Royal D. N. Y. shs	65	66	63½	65¼	−⅛
65⅝	72	600	Robt. Reis 1st pf.	66½	66½	66⅛	66¼	...
23	23½	800	St. Louis-San Fran	23	23	23	23	−⅜
26¼	27½	500	St. Louis S. W.	26½	27	26	27	+½
38½	39	100	Do pf.	40	40	40	40	+1
4	4½	100	Santa Cecilia Sugar	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	...
16	16¾	400	Savage Arms	16¼	16½	16¼	16½	−¼
3⅛	3½	1,200	Saxon Motor	3⅛	3⅛	3	3⅛	...
6¼	6¾	4,900	Seaboard Air Line	6⅝	6⅝	6	6½	−⅛
11¼	11½	900	Do pf.	11¼	11¼	11	11⅛	−⅝
103	103⅞	1,000	Sears, Roebuck	103¼	103½	102½	103⅛	+⅝
18⅛	18¼	200	Seneca Copper	18¼	18⅝	18¼	18¼	+⅛
5⅜	5½	400	Shattuck-Arizona	5½	5½	5½	5½	...
42⅝	43⅜	1,500	Shell Trans. & Tr.	42½	42⅝	41¾	42⅝	+⅛
25⅜	25½	10,000	Sinclair Con. Oil	25¼	26	25⅛	25⅝	−½
53	54	100	Sloss-Shef. S. & I.	53½	53½	53½	53½	−1
101⅝	101¾	34,100	Southern Pacific	102¼	103⅛	101⅝	101⅝	−⅝
23⅛	23½	2,500	Southern Railway	23⅛	23¾	23⅛	23¼	−⅛
59	59½	300	Do pf.	59⅛	59¼	59⅛	59¼	...
620	625	83	Stand. O. of N. J.	623	626	623	624	...
103⅞	104	700	Do pf.	104⅛	104⅛	103¾	103¾	−¼
81	83¼	100	Steel & Tube pf.	81	81	81	81	−1
40½	41½	200	Stromberg Carb'r.	42⅝	42¾	40¼	40¼	−3
45½	45¾	8,500	Studebaker Co.	45⅝	46	44¼	45¾	...
83	84	100	Do pf.	84	84	84	84	...
10	10½	1,000	Submarine Boat	10¼	10⅝	10	10⅝	+⅛
12⅛	12½	2,200	Superior Oil x d.	13¼	13¼	11¾	12¼	−1½
43¾	44¼	100	Superior Steel	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	−1⅛
8⅜	8½	1,000	Tenn. Cop. & Chem	8⅝	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛	...
50¼	50⅝	18,700	Texas Co.	49⅞	50⅝	49⅞	50⅝	+⅝
20¾	21	1,700	Texas & Pacific	20	21¼	20	20¾	+1
40½	40¾	42,300	Tex. Pac. C. & O.	31¾	40½	31¾	40½	+9½
14¾	15½	500	Third Avenue	15	15	14½	14½	−⅝
190	205	100	Tidewater Oil	199	199	199	199	+3
10¼	11	300	Times Sq. Auto Sup	11	11	10⅛	10¼	+⅝
53	58⅜	1,300	Tobacco Products	53½	53½	53	53⅛	−⅝
82	86	200	Do pf.	84	84	83	83	+1
8⅝	9	5,600	Transcont. Oil	9	9⅝	9	9	−¼
40	41	300	Transue & W. St. F.	40¼	40⅝	40⅛	40⅛	−⅜
22¼	22½	2,800	Union Oil	23	23¼	22½	22⅞	−1⅛
118⅛	118¼	3,500	Union Pacific	118½	119	118	118⅛	−½
64	64⅝	300	Union Pacific pf.	64⅝	64⅝	64⅜	64⅝	+⅞
32¼	33⅜	300	United Alloy Steel	32½	32⅝	32¼	32¼	−½
100¼	106	100	United Cigar S. pf.	101	101	101	101	...
100	101	200	United Drug	100	100	100	100	...
199	200	300	United Fruit	198	199¾	198	199¾	+2¼
10	11	100	United Ry. Invest.	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	−⅝
56¾	57¼	5,100	United Retail Stores	57½	57½	56⅝	56¾	...
41	43⅝	100	U. S. C. I.P.& F.pf.	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	−⅛
24	24½	8,600	U. S. Food Prod.	24	25⅛	23	24½	−⅛
66¾	67⅛	7,900	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	67	67¼	65⅝	67¼	+¼
42½	43	300	U. S. Realty & Imp.	41⅝	42¼	41⅝	42⅛	+1⅛
68	69	5,500	U. S. Rubber	68	68⅞	67½	68⅞	+⅞
101½	103½	200	U. S. Rub. 1st pf.	102	102	102	102	+¼
36½	38	3,800	U. S. Smelt., R.& M.	40	40	37	37½	−2½
81⅛	82	23,700	U. S. Steel	81⅞	82¼	81⅛	81⅛	−⅛
106¼	106⅝	900	U. S. Steel pf.	106¾	106¾	106¼	106¼	−½
51⅛	52½	3,900	Utah Copper	51⅛	52	51½	51¾	+⅛
40¾	43¼	2,400	Vanadium Corp.	43⅛	43¾	42¼	43	−½
37½	38	500	Va.-Caro. Chem.	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	+⅛
97	97⅞	200	Va.-Caro. Chem. pf.	97	97⅝	97	97⅝	−⅜
8⅝	9½	2,200	V. Vivaudou	9	9	8⅞	8⅞	−⅜
8	8⅝	700	Wabash	8½	8½	8⅛	8⅛	−⅝
22½	22¾	2,600	Wabash pf., A	23¼	23¼	22½	22⅝	−½
15	16	300	Wabash pf., B	15½	15½	15⅛	15⅛	−⅝
11	11¼	500	Western Maryland	11⅛	11⅝	11⅛	11⅜	+⅛
30⅜	31½	1,600	Western Pacific	32	32	31	31	−1
42½	42¾	700	Westing. E. & M.	42½	42⅝	42⅜	42½	...
10¼	10¾	200	Wheeling & L. E.	10	10	10	10	...
37½	38	4,100	White Motors	38	38½	37½	38¼	−⅝
17¼	17½	1,700	White Oil	17¼	17⅝	17¼	17¼	...
41⅛	41½	200	Wilson & Co.	41½	41⅞	41½	41½	−⅛
5⅝	5⅞	29,700	Willys-Overland	7	7⅛	5⅛	5⅝	−1¼
30	30¾	5,900	Willys-Overland pf.	38¾	39	26	30	−9½
18½	22	100	Wickwire Steel	20	20	20	20	...
34	36	100	Wisconsin Central	36	36	36	36	−4
107¾	108¼	200	Woolworth (F. W.)	107¼	107¼	107¼	107¼	−1
45	46	200	Worthington Pump	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	−2⅛
			RIGHTS.					
4⅛	4¼	7,000	General Electric	4	4⅛	3⅞	4⅛	+⅛
22⅝	23⅛	20,200	Southern Pacific	22⅝	23	22⅛	23	+½
...	...	600	Tide Water Oil	14⅝	14⅝	14½	14⅝	[illegible]

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Treasury Financing.

Announcement of the new offering of Treasury certificates, to aggregate $500,000,000 on two maturities, six months and one year, at rates of 5¾ and 6 per cent., respectively, was something of a surprise, but more of a disappointment to some local bankers who had been hoping for a reduction in rates as the signal of lower rates all around. The size of the new issue, however, probably prevented any reduction in interest, for $500,000,000 is a larger sum than any the Secretary has been asking for many months. One rather odd feature of the offering is the announcement that the 4¾s, due Dec. 15, and the 5¾s, due Jan. 3, and those of Jan. 15 will be accepted in payment at par, with interest adjustment, for the new certificates. These three issues total $1,006,399,000, according to original allotment figures, with $461,368,000 having been disposed of in this district. Thus, only half of the holders would have to avail themselves of the privilege to assure the success of the new offering, without any new money whatever being raised.

"Clearing House Certificates."

One banker, in discussing proposals for granting "relief" to the farmers, found an analogy in the suggestions to the practice of issuing Clearing House certificates to banks in times of stress. The farmers, he said, find themselves in straits similar to those which some banks have experienced in the past, and he thinks they are entitled to some measure of relief. Incidentally, this particular banker is not fearful of the thing being overdone. He recalls that in 1914, when the $100,000,000 "cotton pool" was formed to help the South, only a few thousand dollars was borrowed by the farmers. The fact that the money was available, even under hard conditions, apparently was enough, for few took advantage of it. It will be pretty much the same this time, he believes.

Silver's Downward Trend.

Commercial silver continued its downward trend, yesterday, both the New York and London prices falling to new lows for the movement. It has been popular to attribute this decline to the poor commercial conditions in the Orient, but lately some observers have begun to wonder whether this is not confusing cause with effect. The Orient bought a great deal of silver last year when the price was very high, and it is possible that the fall in silver has had something to do with the hard times, as well as the hard times depressing the price of silver.

"Registered Bonds."

Sales yesterday of registered Liberty bonds totaled $396,000, par value, a total sufficiently large to attract more than the usual attention. To any one who ever has tried to sell a registered Government bond, this selling will appear heroic indeed, for the marketing of these securities is not easily accomplished, the "red tape" to be unwound being nearly endless. In yesterday's sales the 3½s led the way for registered bonds, supplying $266,000 of the total. The Second 4¼s and the Fourth 4¼s supplied $60,000 each, and the Third 4¼s added $10,000 to the total.

A Steel Merger.

From time to time the rumor comes forth that there is to be a merger of some of the large independent steel companies, and it was heard again yesterday. It is well known that a merger of steel companies was discussed at some length a while back, and it is not unlikely that another effort may be made to reconcile the differences that then existed and bring the companies into a corporation of great size. But for the moment there is nothing tangible in the subject. To use the words of one steel man, "we are always talking merger, but that does not mean that we must necessarily merge."

The Doheny Issues.

Dividend action on both Mexican Petroleum and Pan American Petroleum, the two Doheny issues, will be taken by the Directors today. The Mexican Petroleum announcement will come from Los Angeles and the Pan American dividend will be declared here. For some time there have been reports that Pan American might increase its dividend rate. It is known that the matter has been under discussion by the Directors, but so far as could be learned yesterday nothing definite has been decided. The Street in general, however, believes it is possible that Pan American will be placed on an $8 annual basis as compared with the $6 now prevailing.

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil.

A report that there was to be a revaluation of Texas Pacific Coal and Oil lands for tax purposes and that some large amount might be returned to the company as a result of tax payments already made, brought sharp response in the stock market, the shares moving up more than 9 points. It is well known that the oil companies have been having difficulty in the matter of taxes. One large company has not as yet submitted its annual report for 1919 because of difficulties in this respect. That the Government, however, is setting out to provide a plan whereby it is going to return taxes through revaluations and the like borders a bit on the realm of the fanciful. There is no telling, however, to what ends Wall Street rumors will be carried and what grist they will provide for stock market speculation. Apparently the public is as ready as ever to grasp at the veriest straw as a basis for operations. At best a revaluation cannot add to the equity of the stockholders, except to the point of a favorable tax readjustment, and that probably would not amount to much per share of stock.

A Canadian Harbinger.

Dispatches from Toronto yesterday to the effect that a seat on the Toronto Stock Exchange had been sold for $12,500, the highest price for some years, was taken to indicate that sentiment regarding the future business of that market apparently is improving. That the higher price might be the forerunner of a general picking up in business in Canada was considered as possible.

Holding Back Wheat.

While it is asserted in some of the more northern wheat producing States that the action of farmers in holding back the shipment of their grain to market is playing havoc with the banking situation in those localities, it was refreshing yesterday to hear that wheat from the southwestern part of the country has moved along steadily. At the present time, according to railroad men who serve the Southwest, 30,000 of the 60,000 cars usually shipped to market have been moved. From the railroad viewpoint this holding back of grains is not particularly alarming, as the traffic ultimately will be carried by them. It is properly considered as deferred tonnage.

Selling Bonds to Establish Losses.

The bond market on the big board gave evidence yesterday of a fair volume of selling for the purpose of establishing losses which may be applied in filing of income tax returns for 1920. This was instanced particularly by the fact that while many of the general mortgage railroad bonds sold off, the more recent railroad issues, such as the Pennsylvania 7s, remained fairly firm. Local tractions were particularly weak, Interborough 5s showing a net loss of 3 points, Interborough-Metropolitans declining fractionally and New York Railways refunding 4s losing 4½ points. The Reading, Erie and Missouri Pacific general mortgage bonds lost a point or more. The aggregate turnover was not a great deal heavier than it has been, but the market could have been called [illegible] weak.

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DISCOVER NEW PASS TO TAP OIL FIELDS

Explorers for Carib Syndicate Find Route Through Mountains of Colombia.

INDIAN HOSTILITY OVERCOME

Discovery Makes Pipe Line Possible to Rich Petroleum Lands in the Andes.

Another of the spectacular developments which crop out now and then in the search for oil came to light yesterday when it was learned that a party of twelve men, employed by the Carib Syndicate and headed by H. Case Wilcox, had discovered a new pass through the mountains of Colombia, which will be of great commercial value since it taps the rich oil fields. The party had spent thirty days in studying this section of the Andes, and practically the entire route was through the Motilone Indian country, hitherto unexplored by white men.

Carib Syndicate is interested in the petroleum development of 5,000,000 acres of land which the new pass will tap. It is asserted that less than 200 miles of pipe line will be necessary to connect up the field to the Colombian ports, or via Lake Maracaibo to Venezuelan ports.

In discussing the accomplishment, the Carib Syndicate says:

"This gap had been supposed to exist by the Carib Syndicate's officials, but no actual knowledge of its position was known, due to the hostility of the Motilone Indians. Its geographic status has now been established. Its maximum elevation is approximately 5,000 feet above sea level and it is situated in a range of lofty, forest-covered mountains that are usually masked in clouds.

"Several expeditions into this section of Colombia and the neighboring portion of Venezuela have failed during the last twenty years, due to the implacable nature of the native Indian inhabitants.

"The desire on the part of the oil operators to ascertain the most direct and feasible route of ingress to the rich petroleum-producing areas that are known to exist in this section was the moving cause of this spectacular expedition.

"In other recent expeditions into this section a company of soldiers was considered a necessary adjunct. In this case, the small but excellently equipped force of the Carib Syndicate has demonstrated in a striking manner that personnel, rather than force of arms or a number of men, can accomplish what has hitherto been considered the impossible.

"The new pass will no doubt become known to the mapmakers of the future as the 'Bolan Pass,' named after M. J. (Joe) Bolan, a well known railroad contractor, under whose general direction the Wilcox expedition was organized. The trail leading through the pass will probably be known as the 'Carib Road.'

"Three prominent and hitherto uncharted and unnamed peaks that guard this new route with elevations of about 8,500 feet will be known as 'Mount Wilcox,' 'Mount Schaill' and 'Mount MacFadden.' All of these mountains are in the Boball mountain section of the Andes. Further north under the name of the Motilone and Perija Mountains this range forms the frontier between Colombia and Venezuela."

Easy Money Market Predicted.

Frederick H. Hatch & Co., in discussing the securities market, says the slowing down of general business and the release of frozen credit eventually will bring about a condition of easy money and a marked change in the basis of income returns. A statement says: "Just as our entry into the war precipitated an immediate change in the basis of investment return in anticipation of large Government borrowings, so with the return to normal business conditions and the withdrawal of the Government from the money market another change toward the pre-war basis of investment yields may be confidently anticipated. The effect on the prices of all strictly investment securities will be the same as it always has been under similar conditions in the past. We are convinced that during the next few years there will be a very great demand for securities of this class that will be reflected in market prices far above those now ruling."

OUR TRADE WITH EUROPE.

Change in October Exports and Imports From a Year Ago.

From the complete figures of the Department of Commerce on our foreign trade in October, classified by countries, the following particularly interesting comparisons may be made. Following the the figures of our trade with Europe during the ten months ended with October, compared with the corresponding period in 1919 and in the year before the war. The last three ciphers are omitted:

	1920.	1919.	1913.
Exports...	$3,721,217	$4,265,826	$1,176,739
Imports...	1,078,373	542,838	703,819
Excess exports.	$2,642,844	$3,722,988	$472,920

Our trade in October with the more important of the recent European belligerents was as follows:

	1920.	1919.	1913.
England.			
Exports.	$160,973,621	$164,965,249	$70,991,350
Imports...	33,617,133	41,718,294	20,243,701
Excess exports.	$127,356,488	$123,246,955	$50,747,701
France—			
Exports..	$79,092,926	$67,497,672	$26,184,861
Imports.	11,749,406	14,046,214	9,503,777
Excess exports.	$67,343,520	$53,451,458	$16,681,084
Italy—			
Exports..	$35,693,826	$31,671,737	7,463,491
Imports.	4,365,360	7,224,329	4,345,846
Excess exports.	$31,328,466	$24,447,408	$3,117,645
Germany—			
Exports.	$32,449,265	$20,663,521	$48,443,396
Imports..	8,021,701	2,157,608	14,815,675
Excess exports.	$24,427,564	$18,505,913	$33,627,721

During the ten months ending with October in the same three years the comparison is as follows (000 omitted):

	1920.	1919.	1913.
England—			
Exports...	$1,561,669	$1,867,688	$450,884
Imports...	467,639	219,298	221,760
Excess exports.	$1,094,030	$1,648,390	$238,124
France—			
Exports..	$579,179	$757,420	$116,461
Imports.	142,047	87,320	109,339
Excess exports..	$437,132	$670,100	$7,122
Italy—			
Exports..	$312,825	$366,173	$61,793
Imports..	65,348	40,893	44,313
Excess exports..	$247,477	$325,280	$17,480
Germany—			
Exports..	$217,937	$52,420	$270,657
Imports..	75,771	4,914	151,682
Excess exports..	$142,166	$47,506	$118,975

By Continents the results in October, September and a year ago were as follows:

Imports from	October, 1920.	September, 1920.	October, 1919.
Europe ..	$87,802,117	$91,048,201	$90,410,334
N. Amer.	101,174,401	105,545,270	109,169,181
S. Amer..	47,369,425	62,499,923	68,287,021
Asia	74,572,961	89,735,743	118,839,211
Oceania....	22,645,250	16,610,336	13,547,732
Africa	690,649	4,227,148	1,620,132
Total..	$334,268,803	$313,550,615	$401,873,661

Exports to the various Continents compared as follows:

Exports to	October, 1920.	September, 1920.	October, 1919.
Europe ..	$432,882,748	$313,312,835	$407,396,353
N. Amer.	179,238,602	168,531,790	117,577,542
S. Amer.	69,827,556	54,447,363	39,296,043
Asia	45,808,163	37,874,882	49,901,076
Oceania..	25,765,168	23,393,817	11,210,575
Africa ..	17,116,133	7,631,581	6,226,461
Total...	$751,728,570	$605,291,257	$631,910,046

WOULD ISSUE NEW BONDS.

Three Railroads Seek Permission From the I. C. C.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Central of Georgia Railway Company applied today to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to issue $60,000,000 in refunding and general mortgage bonds, $11,000,000 of which would be used to reimburse the treasury of the road and for additions and beterments, $31,462,300 to refund a like amount of par value of prior bonds, and $17,537,700 for the purchase of new equipment. The bonds would be dated April 1, 1919, and mature April 1, 1959.

The Delaware & Hudson Railroad Company asked permission to issue comman capital stock to the value of $9,634,000, to be used to convert $14,451,000 worth of 5 per cent. twenty-year gold bonds issued in 1915. Conversion would be on the basis of ten shares of stock for $1,500 worth of bonds.

At the same time the Detroit-Toledo Shore Line Railroad Company asked permission to increase its common capital stock from $1,500,000 to $2,500,000.

Raw Sugar at Year's Lowest.

After ruling quite steady for the last two weeks, the market for raw sugar again broke into new low ground for the season yesterday, when Porto Rico and "full-duty" sugar sold to a local refiner at 5.51 cents per pound delivered, a decline of ¼ cent from the last previous sale. In October the price ruled between 8 and 8¾ cents. A year ago this week it was 7.28 cents.

RAILS MUST AWAIT AUDIT.

Houston Contends Act So Stipulates on Payment of Guarantee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The language of the Transportation act makes plain the intent of Congress that settlement on account of the six months' guarantee to the railroads is to be made only after a final audit and certificate from the Interstate Commerce Commission, Secretary Houston says in a statement filed today in the District of Columbia Supreme Court. The statement is an answer to the mandamus proceedings brought by the Grand Trunk Western Railroad Company to compel the payment of $500,000.

The Controller of the Treasury has ruled that partial payments of the guarantees cannot be made, and the case is a test one to determine whether the railroads shall have to wait until a final audit before being able to draw any portion of the $400,000,000 authorized by Congress for the operating expenses for the first six months following the return of the carriers to private control.

Would Let Railroads Unite on Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Railroads would be allowed to combine for the purchase of supplies until Jan. 1, 1922, without liability of prosecution under anti-trust law, under the terms of an amendment to the Transportation act offered today by Senator Cummins, Republican, of Iowa, one of the authors of the Transportation act.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, DEC. 7, 1920.

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Day's sales	$16,173,500	$28,736,300	$9,166,500
Year to date	3,476,924,200	3,271,653,925	1,792,725,500

GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales $1,000.	Issue.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.	Closing— Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
2,093	—Liberty 3½s, 1932-47	90.36	90.50	90.02	90.20	— .10	90.20	90.24	4.10
266	—Liberty 3½s, reg.	89.94	89.94	89.82	89.90	..	...	...	..
3	—Liberty 1st 4s, 1932-47	85.90	85.90	85.90	85.90	— .10	85.50	87.00	4.86
10	—Liberty 2d 4s, 1927-42	85.10	85.20	85.10	85.20	+ .10	85.20	85.50	5.00
257	—Liberty 1st cv. 4¼s, 1932-47	86.34	86.34	86.02	86.20	+ .10	86.04	86.10	5.22
2,621	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1927-42	85.26	85.44	85.12	85.44	+ .14	85.36	85.44	5.40
60	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, reg.	85.14	85.30	85.14	85.30	..	...	...	..
1	—Liberty 2d conv. 4¼s, 1932-47	94.00	94.00	94.00	94.00	..	...	...	..
1,333	—Liberty 3d conv. 4¼s, 1928	88.06	88.16	88.02	88.06	— .04	88.06	88.10	6.18
10	—Liberty 3d conv. 4¼s, reg.	87.80	87.80	87.80	87.80	— .10	...	...	..
3,424½	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1932-39	85.66	85.66	85.42	85.64	— .04	85.60	85.64	5.46
60	—Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg.	85.44	85.44	85.40	85.40	+ .04	...	...	..
816	—Victory 3¾s, 1922-23	95.56	95.60	95.50	95.60	+ .06	95.56	95.62	6.66
599	—Victory 4¾s, 1922-23	95.56	95.60	95.50	95.60	+ .08	95.58	95.62	6.64

Following sales are given in lots of $1,000:

Argentine 5s
1.... 70¾
Chinese Ry 5s
1.... 42½
7.... 41¾
C of Berne 8s, temp ctfs
2.... 95¼
5.... 96
C of Chris 8s, K.L&Co ctfs
1.... 98¾
C of Copn 5½s
28.... 72¾
1.... 73
5.... 72¾
C of Marse 6s, temp ctfs
1.... 79¾
C of Paris 6s
50.... 94
5.... 93¾
1.... 93⅞
10.... 94
5.... 93¾
C of Tokio 5s
3.... 45¾
1.... 45½
2.... 45¼
1.... 45⅜
C of Zurich 8s, rcts
2.... 95⅞
6.... 95¾
2.... 95⅝
Dom Rep 5s
1.... 75
Dom of Can 5s, 1921
20.... 98¾
5.... 98⅝
5½s 1921
36.... 98¼
5s, 1926
16.... 90¾
5½s, 1929
2.... 89¼
1.... 89¼
1.... 89⅛
19.... 89¼
5s, 1931
1.... 86¾
3.... 86¼
French Gov 8s
1.... 100¾
18.... 100¾
16.... 100½
4.... 100¾
23.... 100⅝
6.... 100⅝
8.... 100⅝
Gov of Switzld 8s, temp rcts
1.... 102⅝
13.... 102½
2.... 102⅝
11.... 102¾
Jap Gov 4½s, sterling loan
1.... 75
10.... 75⅜
5.... 75½
1.... 75⅜
28.... 75½
2d series
1.... 75¼
50.... 75⅜
3.... 75¼
2.... 75⅜
26.... 75¼
4s, ster loan
15.... 57¾
5.... 57
4.... 57¼
23s30f.. 57¼
22.... 57¾
King of Belg 7½s, rcts
6.... 97¾
10.... 97¼
1.... 97⅛
21.... 97¼
5.... 97¾
6s, 1925
13.... 90¾
3.... 90
R of Cuba 4½s
5.... 61¼
5s of 1904
4.5.... 77
5.... 77
Un King of G B & I 5½s, '21
9.... 97⅝
26.... 98
1.... 97⅞
50.... 98⅛
6.... 98
1.... 98⅛
1.... 97⅞
8.... 98
5½s, 1922
15.... 98⅛
11.... 95
5½s, 1929
2.... 88⅞
1.... 89
1.... 88⅞
16.... 89
26.... 88⅞
5½s, 1937
3.... 83¼
1.... 83¾
50.... 83
5.... 83⅛
10.... 82¾
3.... 82½
11.... 82¾
9.... 82½
2.... 82¼
2.... 83½
U S Mex 5s
20.... 44¾
25.... 44¼
5.... 44⅜
4s
1.... 34¼
10.... 35
5.... 34¾
N Y City 4½s, 1960
8.... 87½
1964
15.... 87¼
5.... 87⅛
5.... 87½
4½s, 1963
5.... 87¾
1.... 92
10.... 92¼
Adams Exp 4s
1.... 56¾
Am Sm & Ref temp 1st 5s
1.... 75½
10.... 75¾
10.... 75¾
11.... 75
1.... 75⅛
4.... 75¼
5.... 75
2.... 75⅛
5.... 75
Am Tel & Tel col 4s
12.... 76¼
11.... 76⅝
col tr 5s
2.... 78½
2.... 78¼
12.... 78
2.... 78¼
8.... 78
1.... 78⅛
1.... 77⅞
5.... 78
conv 6s
10.... 95¾
8.... 95¼
1.... 95⅛
4.... 95
Am Tobac 4s
1.... 68¼

AmWr P. p 7s
4.... 75
Armour 4½s
9.... 75
2.... 75¼
7.... 75
At, T & S Fe gen 4s
1.... 75¾
15.... 75
1.... 75¼
8.... 75
11.... 74¾
12.... 74¾
adjust 4s
1.... 69¾
1.... 70¼
1.... 70
1.... 70½
stamped
5.... 71½
cv 4s, 1960
6.... 83¾
Atl & C A L 1st 5, Ser B
5.... 86
Atl C L 1st 4s
1.... 77¾
8.... 77¾
7s
1.... 101¾
1.... 101⅛
gen unif 4½s
2.... 73
L & N col 4s
10.... 71¼
5.... 70¼
A Fruit tem 7s
1.... 70¼
5.... 70
1.... 70½
10.... 70
B&O pr l 3½s
2.... 81½
2.... 81
2.... 80⅞
gold 4s
5.... 68
1.... 67¾
7.... 68
1.... 67½
conv 4½s
2.... 67¼
5.... 67
10.... 67¾
16.... 67
2.... 67¼
10.... 66¾
5.... 66
12.... 65¾
ref 5s
1.... 67¾
2.... 67½
10.... 66½
10.... 66
1.... 66¼
6s
1.... 91
3.... 90¾
P,L E&W Va 4s
10.... 62¼
2.... 62½
1.... 62¼
S W div 3½s
1.... 76¼
Tol-C div 4s
1.... 58
2.... 53¼
BellT of Pa 7s interim rcts
6.... 102
5.... 101¾
3.... 101⅝
4.... 102
2.... 101⅝
BethStl ext 5s
4.... 87¼
1st & ref 5s
2.... 77¾
1.... 77½
pur mon 5s
2.... 75½
5.... 75¼
Bra Cop s f 6s
11.... 85
5.... 83¾
B R T 7s, 1921
8.... 42
3.... 42¼
ctfs of dep
10.... 42
stamped
15.... 38½
BknUEl 1st 5s
4.... 61
BknUnGas 5s
2.... 75¾
B, R & Pitts con 4½s
2.... 79¾
CalG&Elec 5s
1.... 83¼
Can So con 5s, Ser A
5.... 85
CenofGa con5s
2.... 86
Cent Leath 5s
2.... 90
CenPac gtd 4s
1.... 72¼
10s30f. 72¼
20.... 72¼
7.... 72¼
2.... 72¼
T S L 4s
3.... 70
C&O gen 4½s
1.... 75⅞
3.... 75
2.... 75¾
1.... 75¼
2.... 74¾
12.... 74½
conv 4½s
5.... 72½
2.... 72⅝
3.... 72½
1.... 72½
1.... 73
con 5s
2.... 92¼
conv 5s
5.... 84
1.... 84¼
20.... 84¾
1.... 84½
5.... 84
Chi & Alt 3½s
1.... 35
3s
4.... 45½
1.... 45¾
80.... 46
C,B&Q gen 4s
10.... 77
joint 4s
6.... 96¼
1.... 96¾
55.... 96½
23.... 96⅜
8.... 96⅜
10.... 96¾
5.... 96½
2s30f. 96½
110.... 96¾
registered
31.... 96¼
C&E Ill 1st 5s
1.... 77
C,I&Lo ref 6s
3.... 93
C, M & St P gen 4s, S A
15.... 68
1.... 68¼
gen 3½s, Ser B
1.... 58¾
4s, 1925
2.... 80

1.... 79⅝
conv 4½s
5.... 69¾
2.... 69¼
10.... 68
2.... 69
5.... 68
conv 5s, S B
27.... 68
23.... 67¾
refund 4½s
2.... 59¾
27.... 59
1.... 59¼
9.... 58⅞
1.... 58¾
4.... 59
C, M & P S 4s
3.... 64
C & N W gen 4s, stamped
5.... 74
gen 5s
1.... 95
gen 3½s
3.... 64¾
7s, temp ctfs
1.... 103
18.... 102¾
deb 5s, 1921
10.... 90
Chic Rys 5s
5.... 60½
1.... 59¾
2.... 59½
4.... 59¾
1.... 60¼
1.... 60⅛
C, R I & P gen 4s
7.... 71
1.... 70¾
ref 4s
21.... 65¾
10.... 65½
5.... 65¼
2.... 65⅞
1.... 65⅛
5.... 65¾
3.... 65⅛
C Un S 4½s, Ser A
5.... 77
C & W In g 6s
1.... 101¼
con 4s
20.... 57¾
4.... 57½
3.... 57
Chile Cop 7s
14.... 91¼
10.... 91¼
10.... 91⅜
3.... 91¼
col tr 6s
50.... 66
15.... 65¼
5.... 66
5.... 65¼
1.... 65⅛
5.... 65¾
7.... 65½
2.... 66
5.... 65
10.... 65¼
C, C, C & St L ref & i 6s
1.... 89¼
1.... 89
C F & I g 5s
3.... 76¾
1.... 77
Col Indust 5s
1.... 65¾
2.... 65½
C & S 1st 4s
2.9.... 80½
ref & e 4½s
22.... 72
Con Gas cv 7s
4.... 98¼
2.... 98⅝
5.... 98½
1.... 98⅛
2.... 98⅝
4.... 98
10.... 98¼
2.... 98½
2.... 99
C C S cv 7s
4.... 84¼
3.... 84⅝
18.... 84
2.... 84½
2.... 84¼
Del & H 1st & ref 4s
3.... 78
D & R G c 4s
26.... 64½
1st ref 5s
2.... 48¼
imp 5s
5.... 70¾
D M & Ft D 1st gtd 4s
1.... 43
Det Un Ry con 4½s
9.... 62
Erie 1st c 4s
10.... 53
10.... 52¼
1.... 52
1st gen 4s
4.... 42
1.... 41½
12.... 42
5.... 41
con 4s, Ser A
2.... 40½
3.... 40
2.... 40¼
4.... 40
1.... 39¾
7.... 39
5.... 38½
Ser B
9.... 39
cv 4s, Ser D
11.... 46
8.... 45¾
5.... 45
Ft W & R G 1st 4s
2.... 60
Gen Elec 3½s
1.... 67
deb 5s
3.... 85½
deb 6s
1.... 99¼
1.... 100
6.... 99¾
Gt Nor rf 4½s
10.... 79½
54.... 79
H V 1st 4½s
1.... 70
H & M 1st & ref 5s, S A
2.... 60¾
1.... 60⅝
2.... 60¾
1.... 60½
1.... 60¾
1.... 60¼
adj inc 5s
6.... 21½
11.... 21⅝
1.... 22
Ill Cent 4s, 1925
6.... 71¼
4s, 1953
5.... 67¾
5.... 68
temp 5½s
1.... 90¾
12.... 90½

5.... 90¾
9.... 90¼
Ill Cen & C,St L & N O jt 5s Ser A
2.... 84¾
5.... 84¾
Ind,Ill&Ia 4s
5.... 74
Inter-Met 4½s
8.... 15
5.... 15¼
25.... 15
cfs of dep
13.... 13
2.... 13¼
35.... 13
9.... 13⅛
Int Rap Tran 1st & ref 5s
4.... 50¾
3.... 51
1.... 50⅞
5.... 50¾
10.... 50⅝
112.... 50
5.... 49¾
3.... 49½
25.... 49
10.... 48¾
13.... 48½
6.... 48⅝
3.... 48¾
2.... 48½
9.... 48⅝
10.... 48
Int M M s f 6s
3.... 79¾
2.... 79⅝
1s30f. 79
6.... 79¾
KC,FtS&M 4s
5.... 63½
1.... 63
10.... 62¾
2.... 62½
Kan C So 3s
14.... 52¾
3.... 52½
4.... 52¾
5s
2.... 71¼
2.... 71
1.... 70½
Kan C Trm 4s
14.... 70¼
5.... 70½
Kentky Cen 4s
1.... 66
KingsCoEl 4s
1.... 52
Lacka Steel 5s, 1923
10.... 91¼
1950
11.... 77
3.... 76½
Lac Gas Lgt of St L ref & ext 5s
3.... 72
L S & M So 4s, 1928
2.... 84
1931
2.... 81¾
L V col tr 6s, temp rcts
6.... 97¼
Leh V of Pa con 4s
1.... 68½
Lex & Eastn 1st gtd 5s
1.... 85¼
Ligg & My 5s
1.... 80¼
1.... 80⅛
7s
2.... 104½
2.... 104
Long Island deb 5s, 1934
1.... 72½
ref 4s
1.... 67¼
Lorill'd Co 7s
1.... 105¼
5s
5.... 78¾
5.... 78⅝
Lou & Jeff Bdge 4s
2.... 65⅞
4.... 64
Lou & Nash 7s
9.... 105
2.... 104½
unified 4s
3.... 80¼
11.... 80¾
St L div 6s
8.... 99¼
L & N So Mon joint 4s
1.... 66
Manhtn con 4s
14.... 51¾
MichCen deb4s
5.... 77½
Midvale Steel col tr 5s
13.... 71¾
16.... 71⅝
16.... 71
2.... 71¼
Milwk Gas 4s
7.... 80¼
Minn & StL con 5s
2.... 68¼
1st & ref 4s
6.... 42½
M, StP& SS M 1st con 4s
3.... 78¼
1.... 75½
Mo, Kan & Ok 1st 5s
1.... 69¾
M,K&T 1st 4s
10.... 57¾
2.... 57¾
26.... 57½
St L div 4s
5.... 26¼
Mo Pac 1st & ref 5s, 1923
2.... 87¾
1965
1.... 79¾
gen 4s
6.... 53¾
10.... 53¾
11.... 53¾
12.... 53⅞
4.... 53¼
1.... 53
Mont Power 5s, Ser A
2.... 82½
18.... 82
Montreal Trm 1st ref 5s
48.... 66
1.... 67
Natl Tube 5s
2.... 88¾
N Y Cent 7s, int'm recpts
8.... 102¾
5.... 102¾
4.... 102¾
1s77.... 101¾
8.... 102
deb 6s
7.... 91¼
1.... 91½
12.... 91¾
3.... 91½
13.... 91
20.... 90¾
1.... 91
5.... 90¾
25.... 91

1.... 90⅞
8.... 90¾
gen 3½s
1.... 67⅝
15.... 67½
deb 4s, 1934
21.... 77
3.... 76⅞
ref & imp 4½s, Ser A
2.... 73½
NO, Tex & M inc 5s
4.... 56¼
1.... 57
NY, Chi & S L 1st 4s
25.... 79¼
25s30f.. 79
6s, Ser A
5.... 90
N Y Dock 4s
1.... 64¼
7.... 64⅝
NYG,EL,H&P col tr 5s
10.... 81½
pur mon 4s
4.... 63⅝
1.... 63¼
N Y, N H & H cv deb 6s
2.... 66¼
non-cv deb 4s, 1947
2.... 46
1955
2.... 45
8.... 44
N Y, O & W ref 4s
4.... 60¾
NY Rys adj 5s
3.... 4½
ref 4s
1.... 21
1.... 20¾
cfs of dep
5.... 21¼
2.... 20⅝
2.... 20¾
N Y Tel s f deb 6s
3.... 88¾
13.... 88
4½s
7.... 74¾
1.... 75
1.... 74½
2.... 74¾
1.... 74¾
N Y, West & Bost 4½s
10.... 39
8.... 38¾
Norf & Wn conv 6s
9.... 103¾
con 4s
4.... 74¾
4.... 74½
Nor Pac 3s
5.... 54¼
4s
5.... 76¼
12.... 76
Ore & Cal 1st 5s
4.... 88
5.... 88
1.... 87¾
Ore Sh Line 1st con 5s
4.... 90
Pac G & El 5s
10.... 75¾
6.... 75¾
Pac T & T 5s
7.... 80¾
Penn gtd 4½s
2.... 98¼
con 4½s
1.... 88¾
2.... 88½
gen 4½s
8.... 79¼
2.... 79¼
37.... 79
32.... 78¾
18.... 78¾
39.... 78¾
8.... 78¾
gen 5s
1.... 89
8.... 88¾
18.... 88¾
5.... 88¼
2.... 88⅝
17.... 88
gold 7s
15.... 104¼
1.... 104¾
6.... 104½
2.... 104¾
4s, 1948
4.... 83
Peo & E 1st 4s
12.... 61¼
1.... 61¾
2.... 62
Pere M 1st 5s
3.... 81¼
Phila Co cv 5s, 1922
1.... 87
P, C, C & S L gtd 4½s,Ser A
1.... 85¼
Pub Serv Corp s f 5s
1.... 61¼
Readg gen 4s
8.... 81
1.... 80¼
10.... 80¾
3.... 80½
1.... 80¼
3.... 80⅛
30.... 80
5.... 79¾
RI,Ark&L 4½s
1.... 64½
6.... 64
St L, Ir m & So gen 5s
25.... 86
3.... 85¾
unif & ref 4s
7.... 71¾
River & G 4½s
5.... 66½
St L & San F pr in 4s,SerA
5.... 60¼
22.... 60¼
8.... 60½
1.... 60¾
2.... 60
13.... 60¾
22.... 60
pr in 5s,SerB
4.... 75¾
1.... 74
3.... 73¾
16.... 73¾
pr in 6s,SerC
1.... 86¼
10.... 86
adj 6s
12.... 65
1.... 64⅞
1.... 64¾
2.... 64⅞
2.... 64¾
1.... 64¾
4.... 64¼
1.... 64¾
inc 6s
20.... 50
1.... 49½
1.... 49¾
10.... 49¾
St L So Wn 1st 4s
8.... 65

2d inc 4s
5.... 55
1.... 51
1st Term 5s
1.... 62
2.... 61¾
2.... 61½
St P & Kan C Sh L 1st 4½s
1.... 64
St P, M & M Mont ext 4s
20.... 80¾
S A L adj 5s
2.... 37¾
7.... 37
2.... 36⅞
2.... 37
7.... 36½
ref 4s
1.... 40
So B T & T 1st 5s
5.... 81
So Pac col 4s
3.... 69
conv 4s
10.... 76⅝
3.... 76¼
3.... 76⅝
10.... 76⅜
conv 5s
10.... 102⅛
1.... 102
1.... 102⅛
32.... 103
2.... 102¾
20.... 102⅛
10.... 102⅝
11.... 103
90.... 102¾
5.... 102⅞
5.... 102½
10.... 102¾
1.... 102¾
25.... 102⅝
So P 1st r 4s
51.... 74
5.... 73⅞
3.... 74
5s30f.. 73⅞
15.... 73⅞
84.... 74
So P S F T 4s
10.... 69¾
So Ry 1st 5s
3.... 85½
1.... 85¼
1.... 85
gen 4s
6.... 59
5.... 59¼
3.... 59
M & O col 4s
2.... 59
ThirdAv 1st 5s
9.... 75½
adj 5s
14.... 28½
2.... 28
T.St L & W 4s
1.... 50
Un Pac 1st 4s
6.... 80¼
17.... 80
conv 4s
10.... 80½
5.... 80¾
1.... 81
1st & ref 4s
1.... 74½
3.... 74
6s
1.... 99¾
1.... 99½
2.... 99¾
3.... 100
Un R of S Fr 4s, Un tr c of dep
14.... 29
U S R & I 5s
2.... 80¼
2.... 80
U S Rubber 7s
2.... 98
7½s
2.... 97¾
3.... 97½
3.... 97¾
2.... 97⅝
2.... 97¾
3.... 97⅝
15.... 97¾
10.... 97¾
1.... 97½
1st & ref 5s
1.... 75¼
2.... 75
1.... 74¾
1.... 75
10.... 74½
6.... 74
5.... 74¾
5.... 74½
4.... 74¾
20.... 74½
1.... 75
U S S C s f 5s
7.... 91¾
3.... 91½
5.... 91¾
2.... 91⅝
3.... 91½
2.... 91⅝
10.... 91⅝
7.... 91¾
3.... 91⅝
2.... 91⅝
U & Nor 1st 5s
3.... 80¾
U P & Lt 5s
6.... 75
1.... 74½
V-Car S 1st 5s
5.1.... 91
6.... 91¾
5s
9.... 82¾
Va I, C & C 5s
1.... 83
Va & S cv 5s
2.... 63½
Va Ry 1st 5s
3.... 82¾
3.... 82
1.... 81¾
Wabash 1st 5s
1.... 84
1.... 83¾
1.... 83¼
West Elec 5s
1.... 93¾
Wn Mary 4s
1.... 54½
1.... 54
1.... 53
2.... 54
Wn N Y & P 1st 5s
3.... 85
West Pac 5s
3.... 81¼
5.... 81
W U T c tr 5s
5.... 82
W E & M t 7s
14.... 98¼
5.... 94¾
1.... 94¼
30.... 94½
5.... 94¾
4.... 94½
16.... 94¾
W & L E ref 4½s, Ser A
2.... 50½
W & Co 1st 6s
3.... 87
1.... 87¾
conv s f 6s
20.... 82¾
3.... 82¼

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In the current issues of our Weekly Letter we furnish a glimpse into the probable course of financial and investment conditions for the year 1921.

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The Advantages *of* Seasoned Bonds

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It is obvious that great opportunities exist for those who make a careful investigation of seasoned bonds. With that idea in mind we invite requests for our Investment Suggestions No. G-13

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Cons. Cities Lt., Pr. & Tr. 5s, 1962
Cleveland Elec. Illum. 5s, 1939
Dallas Power & Light 6s, 1949
Elmira Water, Lt. & Ry. 5s, '56
Kansas Gas & Elec. 5s, 1922
New Or. Ry. & Lt. 4½s, 1935
Nor. Ont. Lt. & Pr. 6s, 1931
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DISSOLUTION ORDER AIDS LEHIGH STOCK

Supreme Court's Separation Decision Followed by a Gain of Two Points.

MELON CUTTING FORESEEN

Book Value of Companies Involved Is Between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000.

Overnight digestion of the Lehigh Valley dissolution decision of the United States Supreme Court was followed yesterday by an appreciation of more than two points in the price for the stock. This was apparently predicated on the belief that ultimately, when the assets of the various coal properties affected are distributed, Lehigh Valley stockholders will enjoy a luscious melon-cutting. The fact that the coal reserves of the Lehigh coal properties are estimated between 800,000,000 and 1,000,000,000 tons was considered as particularly significant. In commenting on the decision, E. E. Loomis, President of the company, said:

"When I came to the Lehigh Valley about four years ago the first thing I did was to change everything around to conform with the United States Supreme Court decision in the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western coal and rail case. This had but little effect, however, as the decree just handed down was in the case started six years ago.

"It appears that we have a busy Winter ahead of us between studying how to form combinations, as the new Transportation act provides, and to break up combinations which have existed more than a quarter of a century, but which the Supreme Court now declares a monopoly in restraint of trade as a result of a suit instituted over six years ago."

From authoritative sources it was learned that the book value of assets of the Lehigh Valley Coal Companies involved in the dissolution proceedings totals between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000. The coal companies have stocks and bonds outstanding aggregating $24,000,000. More than half of this is held in the Lehigh Valley treasury, all of the stock being owned by the road.

One interesting feature of the situation is the fact that a great many of the coal properties which will have to be divorced completely from the railroad were purchased by the road in 1875, before the Sherman anti-trust law was written. Another is the fact that one-third of the coal tonnage from Lehigh properties is now handled by independent operators.

EQUIPMENT BONDS.

Quoted on a Percentage Basis.

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1920-'27	4½	7.37	6.75
Beth. Steel	1920-'36	7	7.40	6.90
Buff., R. & Pitts.	1920-'33	4½, 5, 6	6.90	6.30
Canadian Pac.	1920-'32	4½@6	7.25	6.40
Ches. & Ohio	1924-'35	6½	6.75	6.40
Chi. & N. western	1920-'23	4½	6.90	6.35
Chi., R. I. & P.	1920-'27	4½@5	7.50	6.75
Ch., St. L. & N. O.	1920-'24	5	7.15	6.50
C., C., C. & St. L.	1920-'29	5 @6	7.00	6.25
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	7.40	6.90
Erie Railroad	1920-'27	4½@5	8.00	7.00
Grace Steamship	1920-'34	6	7.75	7.10
Illinois Central	1920-'27	4½@5	6.95	6.30
Illinois Central	1923-'35	7	6.75	6.40
Int. Prod. S'ship	1920-'36	7	8.50	7.25
Louis. & Nash.	1920-'23	5	6.90	6.35
Michigan Central	1920-'32	5 @6	6.85	6.25
Minn. & St. L.	1920-'27	5 @6	7.50	6.70
Mo., K. & T.	1920-'24	5	8.00	7.20
N. Y. Central	1920-'32	4½@5	7.25	6.40
N. Y. Central	1921-'35	7	7.15	6.40
Norf. & Western	1920-'24	4½	6.90	6.25
Northern Pacific	1921-'30	7	7.10	6.40
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1920-'29	4½, 5, 6	7.75	7.00
Pac. Fruit Exp.	1925-'35	7	6.87	6.40
Penn. Gen. Fr't.	1920-'23	4 @4½	6.95	6.25
Pitts. & L. Erie	1921-'35	6½	6.85	6.40
Reading Co.	1920-'27	4½	6.95	6.25
Seab'd Air Line	1920-'27	4½, 5, 6	7.75	7.00
Sinclair Refining	1920-'21	6	8.00	7.00
Southern Pacific	1920-'25	4½	6.85	6.25
Southern Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.80	6.35
Southern Ry.	1920-'26	4½@5	7.50	6.62
Union Pacific	1924-'35	7	6.90	6.30
Virginian Railway	1920-'30	6	7.35	6.62
White Oil Corp.	1920-'22	6	8.50	7.50

FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

Prices Firm at Paris and London—Sterling Up at Paris.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Old 2½ per cent consols, ⅛ point higher at 44; British 5 per cent. war loan, 83⅛; 4½ per cent. war loan, 76¾, both unchanged.

Rand Mines, 2½, De Beers Mining, 15, both unchanged.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Prices were easier on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 3 centimes higher at 57 francs; 5 per cent. war loan, unchanged at 85 francs 20 centimes.

Exchange on London, 62 centimes higher at 58 francs 84 centimes per sovereign; American dollars were quoted at 17 francs 6½ centimes, against 16 francs 79¼ centimes yesterday.

SUBSCRIPTION RIGHTS.

	Rights Expire.	Yester-day's Bid.	Yester-day's Ask.	Mon-day's Bid.
Consol. Textile	Dec. 7	..	½	..
Corn Exch. Bank	Feb. 3	42	45	42
Detroit Edison	Jan. 10	..	1	..
General Election	Jan. 20	4½	4¾	3⅞
General Asphalt	Dec. 15	⅞	1	⅞
Goldwyn Picture	Jan. 15	..	⅛	..
Home Insurance	..	.172	.17¾	.172
Landis, Frary & Cl'k	Dec. 20	3½	4¼	3⅝
Shaw (W. W.)	..	17½	20	17
So. N. E. Tele.	Jan. 22	⅛	⅜	..
Southern Pacific	Mar. 1	22¾	23¼	22⅝
Tidewater Oil	Jan. 19	13	15	14

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

FOREIGN ISSUES.

Closing quotations for Government and municipal bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
City of Berne 8s	94	95
City of Christiania 8s	..	88½
City of Zurich 8s	95¾	96⅞
Argentine 5s	70¼	72
Belgium 6s, 1921	99¾	99⅞
Belgium 6s, 1925	90	90⅞
Belgium 7½s	97½	97¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1921	98¾	99
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1921	98½	98⅞
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1926	90¾	91
Dom. of Canada 5½s, 1929	89	89¾
Dom. of Canada 5s, 1931	89¼	89⅞
Chinese Government 5s	41½	41¾
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1944	77	77½
Republic of Cuba ext. 5s, 1949	78½	..
Republic of Cuba ext. 4½s, 1949	61¼	62½
Dominican Republic 5s	74½	75
City of Lyons 6s	79¾	84
City of Marseilles 6s	79¾	84
City of Bordeaux 6s	79¾	84
City of Copenhagen 5½s	72¾	73
French Government 8s	100¼	100⅝
City of Paris 6s	93¾	94
Government of Switzerland 8s	102½	102⅝
Japanese 4½s	75½	76
Japanese 4½s, second series	75¼	75½
Japanese 4s	57¼	57½
City of Tokio 5s	45¼	45⅝
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1921	98	98⅛
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1922	95	95⅛
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1929	88⅝	88⅞
Un. K. of Gt. Br. & Ir. 5½s, 1937	83	83½
United States of Mexico 5s	44½	45
United States of Mexico 4s	34½	34⅝
Italy 6½s	83	83⅝

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRE-WAR LOANS.

Closing quotations for Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	100¼	101¼	Pan 3s, c, 1961	..	90
2s, c, 1930	100¾	101¼	P I 4s, '34	81½	90
4s, r, 1925	104¼	105¼	P I 4s, '35	81½	..
4s, c, 1925	104¼	105¼	P I 4s, '36	81½	..
Pan 3s, r, 1961	..	88			

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adams Ex.	28	29	Batop M.	⅝	1
Ad Rumely	15	16	B'ch Cr'k	29	..
Alb & Sus.	120	150	Beth Steel	53½	54½
A A Cables	90	100	Do 8% pf	103	105
Alf Realty	74	..	Booth Fish pf	..	26½
Am. S 1st pf	98½	..	B'klyn Ed.	85	95
Am Bk N.	43	46	B U Gas.	55	60
Do pf	41	44	Brown Sh.	40	44
Am B Sug pf	75	80	Do pf	80	86
Am B S & Fdy	43	50	Bruns Ter.	4½	5⅝
Do pf	85	87½	B. R & P.	60	85
Am Cot Oil pf	63½	68	Do pf	85	105
Am Exp.	117½	121	Buff & S. pf	75	54½
Am Ice pf	57	57½	Burns Bros pf	96	115
Am La. F Fire	9¼	9⅝	Busah Ter.	..	85
Am Lo pf.	102	..	Cal P pf.	67½	69
Am Rad.	87½	69½	Cal & Ar.	45½	47½
Do pf	101	..	C R R of N J	191	210
Am Shlpb.	..	90	C'tain-teed	40	43
Do pf	..	90	Do 1st pf	80	..
Am Sm pf. A	76¾	72	Do 2d pf.	..	75
Am Snuff	96	98	C & A pf.	10	15
Do pf	78	87	C & E Ill pf	6	8
Am S Fds pf	83	84½	C & O	6	8
Am S Tob pf	82¾	80½	C. C. C & St. L	42	52
Am T & C.	47	53	Clu-Peab.	52¼	55
Am Wh pf	90	92¼	Clu-P pf.	87	88
Am Z pf.	26	30	Col F & I	29	32
Ann Arbor	11	15	C & S 1st pf	50	54½
Do pf	25	30	Do 2d pf.	47	52
Asso D G 2d pf	44	45	Col Gr pf.	67	72
Aus N. pf.	66	75	Con Cigar.	54	56
Auto Sales	2½	3½	Crex Carp.	..	48
Do pf	10	20	C-Am Sug pf	93	100
Bald L. pf.	95	100	De B M.	15¾	25
B & O pf.	49¼	49¾	D & Co pf.	88	94
B'dall, B.	36	39½	Del & Hud.	101	102
Bar Leath	23	33	D, L & W.	219	223
Do pf	60	90	Det Ed.	93½	100
Det U Ry.	..	87	D, S S & A pf.	6	8
Dur Hos'y.	37	39	Do pf	86	90
Elec S B.	100	112	Elk H Coal	17½	18
Do pf	35	37	Em Brant.	7	8
Do pf	..	60	End-John.	55½	64
Do pf	88½	89¾	E Kodak.	320	..
Do pf	100	103	Erie & P.	45	55
Fam P pf	76	77	Fairbanks	42	48
F M & S.	6	7¼	Fisher Bdy pf.	98	101
G A T C.	58	60	Gen Chem.	134	145
Do pf	88	90	Gen Cigar.	56	57
Do pf	80	92	Do d pf.	82	85½
Gen M pf.	70¼	74	Gray & D.	12	12½
G, M & N.	8¾	12	Gulf S S.	35	34¾
Do 1st pf	..	90	Habir Elec	11	15
Hartman.	70	72	Ill C, I l.	53½	59
Indian Ref	14¾	15½	Do pf	82	..
Int H pf.	103¼	105	Int Mot Tr 1st pf.	70	72
Do 2d pf.	57	59	Int Pa pf.	85	104
Do pf, s.	71	72	Int Salt.	60	..
Iowa Cent.	5	9	Jewel Tea.	4	4½
Do pf	9½	10¼	Jones B T.	15	18
K C, Ft S & M pf.	60	61	Kayser (J)	72	80
Do 1st pf	100	115	Kelly Sp T pf.	73	..
Do 8% pf	84	93	Kelsey Wh	44	45
Do pf	70	95	K & D M.	5	10
Do pf	25	..	Kress (S H)	74	90
Lacl Gas.	40	42	L E & W.	11	17½
Do pf	27	36	L & M pf.	101	102
L-W Bisc.	30	36	Do 1st pf	95	99
Do 2d pf.	103½	110	Lorill'd Co pf.	100	101
Mah Coal.	350	700	Mallinson pf.	50	60
Man Rch.	½	2½	Man Elev.	50½	51
Man El S.	..	57	Man Sug.	72½	78
Man S pf.	80	93	Mar-R.	..	38
Math Alk.	18	28	Max M 1st pf.	6	6½
Do pf	2¼	3	M Dep Sts pf.	95½	..
Mich Cent.	90	..	M. St P & S S M.	73	75
Do pf	93	96	Do 1 l.	50	56
M, K & T pf.	5	6	Mor & Es.	60	..
Mul B pf.	73¼	..	Nat En pf	88	92
Nat Lead.	72	73	Nat Hys of M 1st pf	8½	13
N Y A B.	83	85	N Y C & St L.	51½	53
N Y, C & Do 1st pf	60	68	Do 2d pf.	60	65
N Y D pf.	43	44	N Y, L & West	81	88
Norf So.	13	19	N & W pf.	66	76
Nunnally.	12½	13	Ohio Body.	10¾	12
Ohio F S.	45	50	Oph Q pf.	90	100
Otis El pf.	80	87	Otis Stl pf	70	85
Owens Bot Do pf.	95	100	Pac Coast.	23	35
Do 1st pf	40	100	Do 2d pf.	45	60
Pac Mail.	16½	17	P T & T.	37½	40
Par & B.	16¾	17½	Penney pf.	80	90
Peo & E.	11	13	Pere M pr pf.	55	57
Do pf.	40	42	Pett-Mull.	35	62
Do 1st pf	92	115	P Jones.	30	60
Do pf.	73	76	P Y & A pf.	75	121
Pitts Coal.	50	62	Do pf.	95½	98
P, Ft W & C pf.	113	120	P & W Va pf.	76	79
Pr Stl Car pf.	95	100	P S, N J.	58	.01½
Rand M.	22¼	23	R R Sec, I C stk cfs	45	55
Ry Stl Spr pf.	100¼	101	R T 1st pf.	..	85
Do 2d pf.	..	85	Rens & S.	98	..
Rep I & S pf.	91	95	R Reis.	9	10
St Jos L.	13½	13⅞	St L S F pf.	30	38
Sears-R pf.	103	104	S-S S & T pf.	82½	87¾
So P R S.	100	101½	Do pf.	95	106
Stern B pf.	..	94½	Stand Mill.	100	140
Do pf.	72	80	Stewart W.	27¾	28¾
Sup Stl 1st pf.	95	97½	Temtor. A.	32	36
T P L Tr.	200	300	Tob P pf.	82	86
T, St L & W cfs.	8	10	Do pf.	17	20
T C R T.	41	42½	Do pf.	75	84¾
Und Type.	122½	130	Do pf.	100	120
U B & P.	72	76	Un Cig S.	110	150
U D 1st pf.	44	45	U Ry & Im pf.	22	24
U S C I P.	12	13	U S Exp.	6¾	7¼
U S Ind A pf.	92½	95	U S Sm pf.	41½	46
Utah Sec.	9½	10	Va I, C & Coke.	88	90
Va R & P.	..	45	Weber & H	9	9½
W F Exp.	48	51	W & L E pf.	10	20
W Md. 2d pf.	18	20	W Pac pf.	72	74
West U T.	86½	88	West A B.	96¾	98
W & L E pf.	18½	19	Wilson pf.	81	85
W'w'th pf.	102	105	Wor Pump pf, A.	78	80
			Do pf, B.	58	62

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Revenue receipts and expenditures:

	This Month.	Corresponding Month, 1919.	*Fiscal Year, 1921.	*Corresponding Fiscal Yr., 1920.
Customs	$3,184,283.33	$8,192,494.89	$134,726,754.41	$121,134,561.74
Internal revenue—				
Income and profits tax	4,131,879.83	6,618,574.23	961,664,180.83	1,104,634,613.16
Miscellaneous	15,871,720.06	14,029,322.67	663,271,562.52	631,871,371.46
Miscellaneous revenue	4,044,153.40	1,918,013.98	300,401,157.28	308,395,141.81
Panama Canal tolls, &c.	456,191.36	157,166.37	3,154,006.10	2,251,180.24
Total ordinary	$27,687,727.98	$25,915,572.14	$2,663,217,608.14	$2,163,287,068.43
Excess of ord. disbursements over ordinary receipts	14,437,216.72	74,458,658.07	82,346,578.58	1,291,561,605.90
Expenditures	42,124,944.70	100,374,230.21	2,145,564,186.72	3,454,848,674.33

*Receipts and disbursements for June reaching Treasury in July are included.

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The conclusion is inescapable that for some years to come the great nations will seek to reduce expenses, pay their debts and restore their credits. The conditions affecting the immediate future, therefore, will be the direct opposite of those that were mainly responsible for the spectacular events in the business world during the war period.

The inevitable slowing down in business will result in unprecedented accumulations of unemployed capital here. That this capital will seek remunerative employment goes without saying.

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Greece	8.02	8.01	9.00	Drachmas
Roumania	1.38	1.37	1.55	Lei
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Prices Ease Off 45 to 57 Points When Commission Houses Prefer to Sell.

CROP REPORT FAILS BEARS

Lower Prices Only Slightly on One Estimate of 12,900,000 Bales—Liverpool Market Quiet.

There was less activity in the cotton market yesterday and the support which had been noticeable recently was lacking. Instead of buying, Wall Street and local commission houses were more inclined to sell, presumably for the turn, and the inevitable result was an easing off in prices which, by late afternoon, carried the list down 45 to 57 points. There were no sharp breaks of considerable proportions, but the market was "soft" and showed clearly enough the want of a big short interest. The short interest of two weeks ago seems to have been pretty well eliminated, and until the technical position is again adjusted some slightly downward tendency is natural.

There was not much news to influence the market yesterday. One private crop estimate, placing the final figures at 12,000,000 bales, was issued and the bears tried to make capital of it, but without much success. They did succeed in driving prices down maybe 20 to 25 points on this estimate, but such a decline, after what the market has been experiencing these past five months, was nothing to become concerned over.

At the close there was a slight rally from the extreme lows. The late months, as has been their wont for the past two weeks, responded much better on this upturn than did the near months, and this is always a good sign after a protracted fall such as we have been having.

The Census Bureau's ginning report will be out this morning and the final crop figures will be published next Monday. Until these two displays are made public the trade is not likely to pay much attention to the private and unofficial reports and, as a matter of fact, it is doubtful if the Government's reports will cause any decided change in the market, unless, of course, they come very far from expectations.

Liverpool, like our market, was quiet and inclined to heaviness.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Day.
Dec.	15.90	16.05	15.65	15.70	16.10
Jan.	16.25	16.34	15.78	15.83	16.35
March	16.30	16.38	15.89	16.04@16.06	16.40
May	16.38	16.45	16.02	16.18@16.20	16.49
July	16.42	16.50	16.14	16.25@16.28	16.57
Oct.	16.20	16.20	15.90	16.00	16.25

The local market for spot cotton was quiet, down 45 points to 16.25c for middling uplands; sales nil.

Southern spot markets were:
Galveston 15.75c, unchanged.
New Orleans 15.50c, down 50.
Savannah 16.50c, unchanged.
Augusta 15.63c, down 25.
Memphis 15.00c, unchanged.
Houston 15.15c, down 30.
Little Rock 15.50c, unchanged.

Yesterday's cotton statistics were:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	52,809	70,675	45,180
Exports	14,891	23,253	8,900
Exports, season	1,943,234	1,725,133	2,139,212
N. Y. stocks	18,184	16,840	69,716
Port stocks	1,536,964	1,580,227	1,598,260
N. Y. arrivals	985	110	....

Liverpool cables: Spot cotton was quiet at 10.92d for middling. Sales 3,000 bales, of which American 2,000. Imports, 36,000 bales, all American. Futures opened quiet 10 to 15 points up and closed quiet but steady 8 to 15 points down on the day. Prices: Dec. 11.17d. March 11.32d. May 11.35d. July 11.32d. Manchester: Yarns and cloths were dull.

Kelly-Springfield Tire Head Resigns

Van H. Cartmell, for the last eighteen years President of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company, has resigned because of impaired health, and F. A. Seaman has been elected to take his place. Arthur Sachs of Goldman, Sachs & Co. has been elected a Director.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Following is the range of prices in the important miscellaneous commodities in New York:

COTTONSEED OIL.

The cottonseed oil market was dull and prices were 13 to 24 points net lower.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Closing bid.
Spot				9.00
January	9.30	9.25	9.30	9.30
February	No sales			9.39
March	9.61	9.60	9.60	9.65
April	No sales			9.63
May	9.85	9.80	9.85	9.81
June	No sales			9.81
July	No sales			10.00

Total sales, 2,200.

COFFEE.

On the coffee market prices closed 15 to 19 points net lower.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
March	7.19	7.06	7.10	7.26	15.31
May	7.53	7.45	7.50	7.65	15.30
July	7.83	7.80	7.83	8.02	15.45
Sept.	8.04	8.00	8.04	8.22	....

SUGAR.

The raw sugar market was dull and prices were little changed over the previous day.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	4.80	4.75	4.75	4.87
March	4.90	4.85	4.85	4.50
May	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
July	5.18	5.13	5.13	5.10

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yld.
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 21,'23	89	90½	....
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 22,'25	90	95	7.75
Am. Chicle	6	Oct. 20,'27	87½	91½	7.58
Am. Cot. Oil	6	Sept. 1,'24	98¼	99	..
A. T. & A.		Oct., 1922	94½	95	9.70
A. T. & T.	6	Feb., 1924	96¾	96¾	8.50
Am. Tob'd Co.	6	Dec., 1923	98	99	6.90
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1921	99¾	100¾	7.10
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1922	99½	100	7.00
Am. Tobacco	7	Nov., 1923	99½	100	7.00
Anaco Co.	6	Jan., 1923	93½	94½	8.70
Anaco Co.	7	Jan., 1920	99¾	91¼	8.50
A.-A. O., Ltd.	7½	Apr., 1925	99¾	99¾	7.60
Armour & Co.	6	1921-1924	94	96	..
Arm. & Co. c.	7	July15,'30	95¾	98¾	7.80
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July15,'23	95¾	98¼	8.30
Beth. St. Cor.	7	July15,'22	97¾	98¼	8.00
Can. Pac. Ry.	6	Mar. 2,'24	94½	94½	..
Col. Graph. Co. 8%		Aug., 1925	89	93	10.00
Cudahy Pack.	7	July 15,'23	96¾	97¾	..
Fed. Sug. R.	6	Nov., 1924	93	94	9.00
Cert. Arg. R.	6	Feb., 1927	80	82	9.70
C., B. & Q. R. R. (Joint)	4	July, 1921	96¾	96¾	10.10
C., R. I. & P.	6	Feb., 1922	94½	96	8.90
D., C., C. & St. L. Ry. Co.	6	July, 1929	89½	90½	7.50
The B. F. Goodrich Co. cv.	7	Apr., 1925	87¼	88	10.30
Gulf Oil Corp.	6	July, 1921	97¾	98½	7.00
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Hocking Val.	6	Mar., 1924	98	63¼	8.30
Int. Rap. Tr.	7	Sep., 1921	70¾	71½	..
Kan. C. Ter.	6	Nov., 1923	94¾	94¾	8.00
Kennecott C.	7	Feb., 1930	91	92	8.40
Laclede Gas		Jan., 1929	88	90	8.70
Lig. & Myers.	6	Dec., 1921	97½	98¼	7.85
Nat. C. & S. 10-yr.	8	1930	90	96	8.68
Penn. Co.	4½	June 15,'21	98¾	98¾	7.10
Phila. Co.	6	Feb., 1922	93	94	..
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1921	99¾	100½	6.80
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1922	99¾	100½	6.90
Proc. & G.	7	Mar., 1923	99¾	100½	6.90
Pub. S. Corp. of N. J. cv.	7	Mar., 1922	87½	89	..
R. J. Ryds. T.	6	Aug., 1922	96¾	97¼	7.30
Sears R. & C.	7	Oct. 15,'21	97½	97¾	9.10
Sears R. & C.	7	Oct. 15,'22	94½	94¾	8.90
Sears R. & C.	7	Oct. 15,'23	94¾	94¾	8.00
Sinc. C. O. C.	7½	May 15,'25	90	90½	10.25
Solvay & Co.	8	Oct., 1927	99½	99¾	8.10
Southern Ry.	6	Mar., 1922	94	94½	10.25
S'west B. T.	7	Apr., 1925	93	94	9.40
St. P. Un. Dep., guaran.	5½	Dec. 15,'23	95¼	96	7.00
Swift & Co.	6	Aug. 15,'21	97¾	98¼	8.50
Swift & Co.	7	Oct. 15,'25	94	94¾	8.30
Utah Sec. Cor.	6	Sep. 15,'22	80	83	..
West'n Elec. Co. conv.	6	Apr., 1925	98¼	99	7.30

EARNINGS.

Railroads.

COLORADO & SOUTHERN SYSTEM for October—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	$3,110,743	$2,256,124	$2,001,172
Bal. after tax.	812,146	437,627	464,219
Net op. income	622,101	329,777	449,544
10 mos.' gross.	33,233,162	19,969,664	16,709,895
Bal. after tax.	2,450,893	4,171,329	3,386,896
Net op. income	2,224,968	3,909,124	3,419,770

ILLINOIS CENTRAL for October—

Gross	14,671,020	10,774,803	9,760,270
Bal. after tax.	1,746,753	998,412	1,214,754
Net op. income	1,713,528	964,220	1,189,189
10 mos.' gr.	116,706,506	80,670,632	86,993,827
Bal. after tax.	1,930,213	4,944,193	11,644,154
Net op. income	4,437,161	4,723,397	12,479,527

PACIFIC COAST for October—

	1920.	1919.	Increase.
Gross	553,405	628,000	*74,595
Net after exp.	40,699	88,568	*47,869
4 mos.' gross.	2,069,622	1,916,123	*153,500
Net after exp.	240,882	221,948	*21,064

FITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS for October—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	11,636,306	8,930,330	8,996,414
Bal. after tax.	629,125	†345,876	1,094,954
Net op. income	631,292	†367,142	976,629
10 mos.' gross.	87,111,429	77,020,045	72,240,642
Def. after tax.	10,460,515	12,064,130	25,815,038
Net op. deficit.	12,126,124	12,233,620	23,861,481

ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN for October—

	1920.	1917.
Gross	3,029,406	1,781,581
Net after taxes	566,960	650,970
Total income	717,195	779,762
Surplus after charges	422,536	509,519
Eight months' gross	20,301,770	11,332,674
Net after taxes	2,963,384	3,287,132
Total income	4,210,285	4,630,298
Surplus after charges	1,997,803	2,458,807

WABASH RAILROAD for October—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	6,282,811	5,165,114	5,057,530
Bal. after tax.	938,284	920,650	985,340
Net op. income	662,397	740,894	752,279
10 mos.' gross.	48,558,408	39,013,516	39,418,080
Def. after tax.	1,429,368	†2,622,788	25,509,382
Net op. deficit.	4,415,788	2945,402	12,894,063

YAZOO & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY for October—

	1920.	1919.	1918.
Gross	2,042,910	3,318,604	1,979,668
Bal. after tax.	150,060	468,296	496,985
Net op. income	340,578	453,738	508,302
10 mos.' gross.	23,834,664	20,315,648	17,904,312
Bal. after tax.	963,900	4,173,664	3,849,516
Net op. deficit.	728,068	†4,083,754	3,449,100

Public Utility.

ADIRONDACK POWER AND LIGHT CORP. for September—

	1920.	1919.	Increase.
Gross	435,493	332,582	102,622
Net after tax.	63,238	139,313	*75,074
Def. after chgs	27,383	†84,860	112,243
12 mos.' gross.	4,520,700	3,808,901	711,808
Net after tax.	1,426,416	1,418,095	9,321
Sur. aft. chgs.	697,207	807,194	*109,987

Miscellaneous.

AMERICAN WHOLESALE CORPORATION for November—

Sales	2,494,680	2,363,183	*868,533
11 months	30,479,978	33,149,955	2,669,016

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Sales	12,427,566	10,990,092	1,437,473
11 months	119,395,288	100,114,752	19,280,545

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Calaveras	1	1⅛	Midway Moss	..	30
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Crown Res.	19	20	Nat. L. & S.	9	9
Crystal, new	42	45	Nev. Doug.	14	20
Denbigh	17	18	Nixon	7	8
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W. B. Storey Expects Sharp Changes, but Says No Uneasiness Should Be Felt.

SANTA FE BEHIND IN WORK

Some Recession in Freight Traffic, but Rail President Thinks It Will Be Made Up.

W. B. Storey, President of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, just before starting for the West yesterday, said that while the readjustment of economic conditions in this country continued sharp changes would occur, but these should not cause serious uneasiness. He said there was no surplus of railroad labor apparent in the West and that railroad employes would not feel the effect of the readjustment period so much as workers in other industries.

This, he said, was due to the fact that railroad employes were still under working conditions established by the United States Railroad Labor Board. The board continued for an indefinite period working conditions established during Federal control.

Mr. Storey said that in specifying that railroad workers should not strike until they had submitted their grievances to the board, and they had been acted upon, the Transportation act had served a good purpose. In addition, if, as a protection to public convenience, the act kept the transportation system of the country functioning, no matter what differences might arise between employe and employer, it was within reason to believe that the public would not find it too inconvenient to pay higher passenger and freight rates to support increased wage schedules.

The Santa Fe, both as regards equipment and way and structures, had not yet been caught up with its maintenance work, and the usual seasonal switching of right of way workers from the Northern lines to the Southern lines of the system would follow. This, of course, would find reflection in the earnings statements of the system as submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission each month.

Freight traffic, said Mr. Storey, had shown some recession, due to the holding back of wheat and cotton by Southwestern producers. This, however, was considered as postponed business as the products must eventually be shipped. In discussing earnings he characterized them as satisfactory, but not as satisfactory as they would be when the Interstate-Intrastate rate dispute had been settled.

Vote to Double Capital Stock.

HOLYOKE, Mass., Dec. 7.—The Directors of the Farr Alpaca Company recommended to the stockholders today that the $7,200,000 capital stock of the company be doubled, the issue to consist of 72,000 shares at a par value of $100. It was recommended that $5,400,000 of the new stock be issued for the surplus property of the company as a stock dividend and that $1,800,000 be issued for cash at par, the right of subscription being given to stockholders pro rata.

Yale to Open Science-Industry Course.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 7.—A new course in the Sheffield Scientific School at Yale University to give men a broader training in certain fundamental sciences and scientific methods, was announced today. The course will be known as "Science as Applied to Industry" and will be open to sophomores next Fall for the first time.

Cattle Men Urge Meat Inquiry.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 7.—Resolutions calling upon Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer to institute an investigation of methods by which it is alleged packers and retailers keep the retail price of meat at a high figure, and to effect reforms that will reduce meat prices, were adopted here today at a conference of officials of cattle men's associations from twelve Western States.

W. J. Harahan Heads C. & O.

W. J. Harahan was elected President of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad and the Hocking Valley Railroad Company yesterday. He also was made a member of the Board of Directors of each road. He succeeds the late George W. Stevens.

Approve $4,000,000 Asphalt Bonds.

Stockholders of the General Asphalt Company have approved the proposal to issue $4,000,000 8 per cent. ten-year sinking fund convertible bonds. Authorization also was given to increase the common stock by $4,000,000 to provide for conversion of the bonds.

COMMODITY PRICES

Price Declines General in Most Commodities—Monday's Advances Turned to Losses.

Most of the price gains recorded in the wholesale markets on Monday were lost in yesterday's session, wheat receding 5 cents, corn 3½ cents and oats ½ of a cent per bushel, with flour unchanged.

In the groceries and dairies coffee dropped ¼ of a cent per pound; butter and eggs unchanged.

Among the provisions lard dropped 40 cents per hundred pounds, with beef and pork unchanged.

In the metals lead advanced ⅛ of a cent per pound, copper was up ¼ of a cent per pound, tin rose ¼ of a cent per pound; others unchanged.

In the textiles spot cotton dropped 45 cents per hundred pounds, but printcloths were quoted unchanged.

Following are the cash prices for the principal commodities in the wholesale market at the close of business Tuesday, a week before and a year ago:

	1920. Dec. 6.	1920. Nov. 29.	1919. Dec. 7.
FOODSTUFFS:			
Wheat, No. 2 red	$2.01	$1.84	$2.60
Corn, No. 2 yellow	1.02¾	.97¾	1.71½
Oats, No. 2 white	.64½	.61	.83
Flour, Minn., patent	9.50	9.25	15.00
Coffee, No. 7 Rio	.07	.07	.14¾
Sugar, granulated	.08¾	.08¾	.09
Butter, cream., 92 score	.52	.57	.73½
Eggs, fresh gathered, firsts, per dozen	.86	.81	.88
Lard, prime	15.85	18.00	26.75
Pork, mess	31.00	31.00	47.00
Beef, family	28.00	28.00	29.00
METALS:			
Iron, 2 X, Phila.	39.50	41.50	38.10
Steel billets, Pitts.	43.50	55.00	43.00
Lead	5.00	5.40	6.90
Copper	13.75	13.50	18.50
Tin	34.75	33.00	54.25
TEXTILES:			
Cotton, mid. uplands	16.25	16.00	39.25
Printcloths	.06	.05½	.13½

Highest and lowest prices thus far in the present year:

	—Highest.—		—Lowest.—	
Wheat	$3.25	Jan. 7	$1.79	Nov. 27
Corn	2.31¾	May 15	.94½	Nov. 27
Oats	1.50	May 7	.60	Nov. 22
Flour	16.25	Jan. 7	9.00	Dec. 1
Coffee	.16¼	Jan. 11	.06¾	Nov. 23
Sugar	.23	July 12	.08¾	Nov. 23
Butter	.77	Apr. 24	.51½	Dec. 4
Eggs	.86	Dec. 6	.42½	Mar. 12
Lard	23.50	Jan. 9	13.70	Aug. 17
Pork	47.00	Jan. 2	30.00	Oct. 1
Beef	28.00	Oct. 19	26.00	May 12
Iron	53.51	Aug. 31	41.50	Nov. 29
Steel	65.00	July 23	43.00	Jan. 2
Lead	9.50	Mar. 15	4.87½	Dec. 2
Copper	19.50	Jan. 5	13.50	Nov. 29
Tin	68.25	Jan. 11	33.00	Nov. 30
Cotton	43.75	July 22	15.50	Nov. 27
Printcloths	.16¾	Apr. 13	.05½	Nov. 30

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Period.	Payable.	Hold. of Record.
Barrett Co.	$2	Q	Jan. 3	Dec. 15
Con. Can com. & pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 20
St. L. & F. of Abington and Rockland	$4	S	Jan. 3	Dec. 15
Hab'shaw E. Cable	37½c	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 21
Hercules Powder	2	Q	Dec. 24	Dec. 15
Hercules Powder	2-	Ex.	Dec. 24	Dec. 15
Ingersoll-Rand pf.	3	S.	Jan. 3	Dec. 17
Kelly-Sp. T. 6% pf.	$1.50	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 17
Loose-W. B. 1st pf.	$1.75	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 18
Manhattan Shirt pf.	$1.75	Q	Jan. 3	Dec. 16
N. Y. L. I. & Trust.	$15	—	Dec. 10	Dec. 7
Otis Steel pf.	1¾	Q	Jan. 1	Dec. 15
St. L., R. M. & F.	1	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Dec. 31	Dec. 20

FOREIGN SECURITIES.

	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.
Argent. (unlisted)	5	Sept., 1945	63	64
Belgium (Restor'n)		1934	56	56
Bel. Fran. Ln.	20		61¼	64¼
British Victory	4	1960	263	265
British Fund	4	1960	229	239
Brit. Nat. W. L.	5	1922	341	351
Brit. Nat. W. L.	6	1927	329	339
Brit. Nat. W. L.		1920	334	344
Canada	5½	Dec., 1922	85¼	86
Canada	5½	Nov., 1923	82	84½
French Gov. Vic.	6	1931	48½	51½
French Loan, '17	4	1948	38½	41½
French Prem.	5	Loan of '20	56¾	59¼
French Loan, '20	6	1931	58	61
Italy Treas.	5	1923	35	38
Italy Treas.	5	1925	33½	36½
Russia, ruble bds.	5½	Feb., 1926	5	9
Russia	5½	1921	13	17
Sweden	6	June, 1939	78	80
Switzerland	5½	1929	80	81

METAL MARKETS REPORT.

These prices were quoted on the local Metal Exchange yesterday:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Monday. Bid.	Asked.
Antimony	5.62½	5.87½	5.75	6.00
Quicksilver		$55.00		$55.00
Aluminium	24.00	25.00	24.00	25.00
Iron, No. 2 X silicon		44.00		44.00

Electrolytic copper was quoted in the open market at 13¾c, 30 days.

London quotations were:

	Yesterday. £	s.	d.	Monday. £	s.	d.
Copper, spot	80	10	0	79	5	0
Copper, futures	79	0	0	79	10	0
Tin, spot	223	10	0	218	10	0
Tin, futures	227	15	0	222	10	0
Spelter, spot	31	15	0	30	15	0
Spelter, futures	33	0	0	32	10	0
Lead, spot	26	0	0	26	10	0
Lead, futures	26	15	0	27	5	0

$450,000,000 A YEAR COAL SAVING URGED

Extension of War Conservation Methods Proposed by D. M. Myers to Engineers' Society.

DISCUSS LABOR PROBLEMS

Too Many Industries Conducted on "Hire, Drive and Fire" Plan, Says Fred J. Miller.

Nearly 100,000,000 tons of coal could be saved annually in this country by extending many of the war conservation methods, according to David Moffat Myers, member of the United States Fuel Administration during the war, who read a paper on fuel conservation yesterday at the annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in the Engineering Societies' Building.

In his opening address Fred J. Miller, the President, said that "the engineer must increase the effectiveness of labor, not by driving or oppression, but by the application of brains in industrial organization and management of men as well as of materials.

"We have been hearing a great deal about a falling off in production per man hour, and there has been a good deal of that. But the fact is that too many of our industrial establishments have been conducted upon the hire, drive and fire plan. I am speaking now of industries in general and of all kinds.

"If the conditions of employment are fair and right, if there are few or no substantial reasons for dissatisfaction, if the channels of communication between owner and worker are kept free and open, agitators and trouble-makers will seldom if ever make much headway."

Mr. Myers said that if only 75,000,000 tons of coal were saved each year, the money saving would be $450,000,000, or enough to pay nearly one-half the interest of the national war debt. Transportation would be relieved, the services of 75,000 miners would be conserved, and more than $4 annually would be saved for every person in the United States. The main wastage, Mr. Myers said, could be found in boiler plants, coke ovens, domestic heating equipment, and plants and installations misusing steam after its generation. Virtually every industrial plant could save from 10 to 30 per cent. of its fuel.

Eleven proposals for effecting economies were proposed by the speaker. Among these were education in coal use, under the direction of the Bureau of Mines, with a resident engineer in each State; strict examination of engineers and firemen, throwing out of obsolete and wasteful equipment in generating plants, a system of zoning in fuel shipments and encouragement of new inventions by the Government.

The importance of fuel conservation also was stressed in a joint paper by Chester C. Gilbert and Joseph E. Pogue.

The meetings of the society will be continued today.

Small Demand at London Wool Sale.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—At the wool auction sales today, 10,800 bales were offered. There was a large attendance, but a hesitating demand. Barely 25 per cent. of the offerings were sold. Merinos and cross reds were from 10 to 20 per cent. lower.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alpha	.60	Dividend	.03
Andes	.50	East Divide	.02
Best & Belcher	.18	Extension	.30
Challenger	1.20	Florence	.04
Confidence	1.80	Gold Reef	.04
Con. Virginia	2.30	Harmil	.21
Gould & Curry	.08	Hasbrouck	.03
Hale & Norcross	.19	Kernick	.09
Imperial	.70	Knox	.09
Jacket	.20	Myra	.02
Mexican	.17	Revert	.04
Ophir	.58	Silver	.02
Overman	.30	Verdi	.02
Savage	.12	Victory	.04
Sec. Belcher	.13	Western	.02
Scorpion	.04	Zone	.23
Sierra Nevada	.07	GOLDFIELD.	
Union	.54	Booth	.03
Utah	.03	Consolidated	.06
TONOPAH.		Crackerjack	.03
Belmont	1.40	Florence	.12
Cash Boy	.06	Jumbo Exten.	.04
Jim Butler	.16	Kewanas	.02
McNamara	.15	Lone Star	.04
McNamara Cres.	.03	Silver Pick	.06
Midway	.09	Spearhead	.04
Monarch	.03	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
North Star	.06	Arrowhead	.06
Rescue	.23	Black Mammoth	.05
Tonopah Exten.	1.35	Broken Hills	.10
West End	.98	Climax	.04
West Tonopah	.04	Croesus	.46
DIVIDE.		Holly	1.47½
Alto	.05	Round Mountain	.15
Belcher	.03	Simon	.82
Belcher Exten.	.04	Sterling	.03
Brougher	.11	White Caps	.06
Divide Tonopah	1.30		

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	1½	1¾	Isabella	3¾	4
Dr. J'pot	1½	2¼	Mary McK.	3¼	5
Elkton	2¼	2²⁰	Portland	50	54
El Paso	9	10	U. Gold M.	9	10¼
Golden Cy.	64	66	Vindicator	17	20
Granite	7	11	Rose Nicol.	4½	5

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Value of Property owned by City	2,967,918
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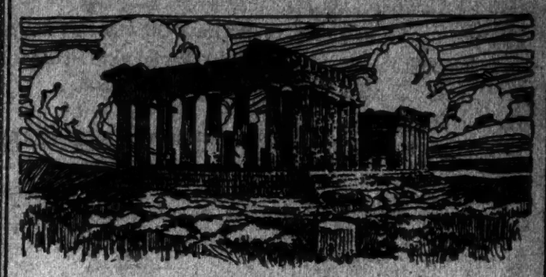

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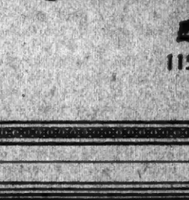

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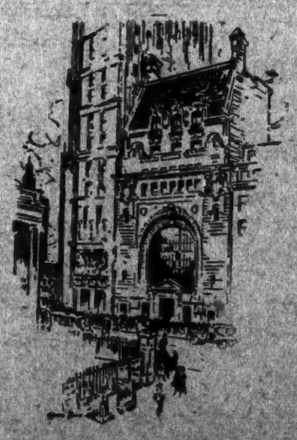

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PATENTS HELD INFRINGED

Judge Mayer's Decision Bars First Lot of $500,000,000 of Surplus Airships.

Federal Judge Julius Mayer yesterday granted to the Wright Aeronautical Corporation a preliminary injunction against Handley-Page, Ltd., and the Aircraft Disposal Company, Ltd., two English corporations, and William H. Workman, their representative in the United States, restraining them from bringing to this country and selling here surplus British war planes, engines and spare parts, said to have cost $500,000,000. In aeronautical manufacturing circles the decision was hailed as a partial victory in the fight by American airplane interests to prevent the dumping, as they term it, of foreign war planes in the United States.

Airplane manufacturers here have maintained that the fight was necessary to protect the industry, which, since the armistice, has been struggling to get on its feet commercially. They have asserted that they could not successfully compete against these surplus war goods, which could be sold at cut-rate figures.

The planes in question in the Wright suit, which are alleged to have been infringements of the Wright patents, were purchased from the British Government by the two corporations at about 1 per cent. of their actual cost. The Wright interests asked the court to stop the importation of the first lot of machines, 2,365 in number, whose selling price is $6,510,000.

In his decision Judge Mayer said:

"The Wright patent has been adjudicated to be valid and a pioneer of wide scope by Judge Learned Hand. The validity of the Wright patent is today universally recognized by the aircraft industry of this country, which has paid and is paying very substantial royalties. Practically every manufacturer of airplanes in this country is licensed, and various importers of British, French and Italian airplanes are also licensed.

"The defendants do not question these facts nor deny title, validity or infringement, but put forward the argument that the introduction of these machines will educate the American public to the utility of the airplane as a commercial proposition, hence create a large demand, hence ultimately stimulate American industry to supply that demand.

"The American manufacturer may, however, be trusted to make up his mind as to what is best for him, and his bitter opposition shows that he considers that if these machines are brought here and, as defendant Workman states, are laid down, duty and transportation charges paid, in New York City—or, in fact, anywhere in the United States—at a price which is but a fraction of their actual value, such importation will destroy or gravely impair American industry in this regard.

"Whatever may be the economic view, the fact is that plaintiff is the owner of the patent; that the patent has been adjudicated, that the courts have given it a high place, and that defendants have thus far brought into this country only a few planes, and have not in any sense established an industry here.

"Defendants acquired these planes from the British Government with their eyes wide open and took their chances on their legal rights. They state that they have allotted 2,365 planes for the American market. The selling price of these planes is said to be $6,510,000, and the defendants assert that the expense of storage and other incidentals are mounting high, and if a preliminary injunction goes against them they will lose the market and thus suffer great loss.

"Yet, this was their hazard. They should have known that plaintiff would move expeditiously and diligently, as it has. There are, then, no equities in favor of defendants, and they must rely on their legal rights."

The Court required the Wright company to put up a bond of $35,000 to protect the English interests in the event that the injunction was set aside in an appeal.

OPPOSES IMMIGRATION BAN.

Head of Inter-Racial Council Sees No Danger Here.

William H. Barr, President of the Inter-Racial Council, issued a statement yesterday in which he argued against restriction of immigration, maintaining that there was no surplus of unskilled laborers in industry generally, that such unskilled workers as did arrive were not in competition with the more skilled American worker, and that many of those coming were old persons and female relatives of families in this country who had sent for them to care for them. He implied that stories of "hordes" of arriving immigrants weer exaggerated.

Mr. Barr's statement defends the loyalty record of the foreign-born, says there has been a lot of nonsense about Americanization, which he defines as giving the immigrant a fair chance and a square deal rather than teaching him to wave flags and sing patriotic songs, and attacks some of the present immigration restrictions.

FORM PABST CORPORATION.

Famous Milwaukee Brewing Co. Dissolved, Though Making Near Beer.

Special to The New York Times.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7.—The Pabst Brewing Company which, until the advent of prohibition, was one of the world's greatest breweries, passed out of existence today when the Pabst Corporation, with a capital of $5,000,000 was formed, dissolving the old company.

H. J. Stark, President of the brewing company, announced that the concern was a thing of the past and that the corporation would "manufacture, sell and generally deal in goods, wares, &c." Incorporators of the new company are W. C. Quarles, attorney for the Pabst interests; Julius Olde and J. A. Dietrich, associated with Mr. Quarles in his law business.

The Pabst Brewery is still operating on a small scale, selling hous and manufacturing near beer. Milwaukee does not take kindly to near beer and business in this commodity is negligible.

TO HALVE COTTON ACREAGE.

Crop of 1921 Will Be Greatly Reduced, Planter Official Says.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 7.—A reduction of at least 50 per cent. in the cotton acreage in 1921 and a crop of not more than 6,000,000 bales was predicted by W. B. Thompson, former President of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, in an address here today before the Cotton Conference, called to inaugurate a campaign for a meterial cotton acreage reduction and crop diversification during the coming plantingseason.

"The South is determined to reduce the cotton acreage in 1921 to at least one-half of that of last year," Colonel Thompson said. The convention is called for the purpose of solidifying this determination.

CHICAGO WHEAT LOSES WEEK OPENING'S GAIN

News Bullish, But Failure of Buying for Export Counted Heavily Against Values.

Special to the New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—The failure of exporters to enter the wheat market as buyers counted heavily against values today. There was much in the news that was construed as bullish, but prices dropped 9¾ cents from the high of the previous day and closed about the bottom, with net losses of 7⅛ to 8¾ cents—December leading.

Houses with Eastern connections led the selling, while the support came mainly from resting orders and holders of bids. President Wilson's message suggesting aid to farmers attracted little attention. A feature of the trading was the persistent buying by a house with important Canadian connections, and the trade believed this represented the removal of hedges here against Manitobas which were rehedged at Winnipeg, fear that Congress would put an import duty on Canadian grain causing the changing. A cargo of 250,000 bushels Manitobas, chartered for Chicago, has been diverted to Buffalo, but there is some coming to this market on consignment.

Export demand today was limited to 160,000 bushels hard Winter at the Gulf to an exporter who had an old sale to fill for France and was forced to pay the highest premium on the crop to secure the grain immediately. A cargo of Canadian, which showed a profit of 20 cents per bushel to the holder, was offered for resale at New York. Reports of American pressing for sale lacked confirmation.

Deliveries on December contracts were 60,000 bushels, of which 55,000 bushels went to houses that expect to ship the grain to mills. Over half of the Minneapolis wheat arriving here is missing grade inspecting No. 4 Northern on account of light wheat. There was a slightly more general milling demand noted in outside markets, and the "buy-a-barrel of flour" movement is regarded as having some effect.

Kansas farm reserves of wheat of 77,466,000 bushels are 53.4 per cent. of the crop, compared with holdings of 50,000,000 bushels, or 34.5 per cent. last year. Reports indicate that 47 per cent. of the holdings would have been sold earlier had cars been obtainable, but farmers refuse now to sell.

Primary movement is holding up well, arrivals of wheat being 1,302,000 bushels, or 67,000 bushels less than a week ago, but compared with 965,000 bushels last year. Shipments were 931,000 bushels, or more than double last year.

While the railroads report an increased call for cars no big increase in the movement of corn is expected. Coarse grains were under pressure from the start, but met with a good demand on the break.

Corn receipts were 582,000 bushels, against 564,000 the previous week and 844,000 last year. Shipments 249,000 bushels, against 750,000 the previous week and 428,000 last year.

Today's Chicago prices for the principal commodities were as follows:

WHEAT.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	1.77	1.70¼	1.70¼	1.79¼
March	1.73¼	1.67¼	1.67¼	1.75¼

CORN.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	75⅝	73¼	73⅝	76⅝	1.41½
May	78¼	76¼	76⅝	78⅞	1.34¼
July	79⅝	77⅝	78	80¼	1.33

OATS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	49	47⅛	48¼	49⅝	78½
May	53	51⅝	51⅝	53¼	76½
July	52⅝	51	51⅝	52⅝	..

RYE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	1.63¼	1.59¼	1.59¼	1.65	1.60
May	1.44½	1.40⅜	1.41	1.47	1.68¼

PROVISIONS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
Jan.	14.80	14.62	14.62	14.95	22.75
May	14.80	14.35	14.35	14.62	22.95
Ribs—					
Jan.	12.67	12.55	12.55	12.76	18.40
May	12.87	12.70	12.70	13.00	18.80
Pork—					
Jan.	24.00	23.65	23.85	24.25	35.40

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Outwater & Wells are offering $344,000 City of Passaic, N. J., general improvement 5½ bonds at prices to yield from 5.50 per cent. to 4.95 per cent., according to maturity.

Henry A. Seesselberg is now associated with the Stock Exchange firm of Pearl & Co. as manager of their bond and trading department.

Leonard Heimerdinger is now associated with Sartorius, Smith & Loewi, members of the New York Stock Exchange, as manager of their newly opened foreign department.

RAILROADS ANXIOUS OVER RATE DELAY

Central Reports Heavy Losses Handling Passenger Traffic Diverted From Erie.

COUNSEL READY FOR TRIAL

Newton Intimates That, Lacking Co-operation, He May Ask Postponement of Case.

Delay in court hearing in the intrastate rate case would cost the sixty-one railroads in this State hundreds of thousands of dollars, according to the roads' attorneys, who were disturbed yesterday at reports that Attorney General Newton might ask for postponement until he was sure all the railroads had been notified to be in court.

Officials said that the rate case was further complicated by the failure of the Attorney General's office to serve upon all railroads notice that a temporary injunction had been obtained to prevent the 20-per cent. rise in rates for travel within the borders of the State. Mr. Newton said service was impossible in the four days allowed by the court.

These notices were served upon some of the railroads and not upon others with the result that the Erie Railroad, not having been served with papers, automatically had put its new schedules into effect. One of the results was to throw a larger volume of intrastate traffic upon the New York Central and other railroads that had been served with notice of the injunction and, therefore, had to retain their former fare of 3 cents a mile while the Erie's rate was 3.6 cents.

The New York Central reported yesterday that reports of the increase on the Erie had thrown so much traffic to the Central lines that they were operating at capacity, but on an unprofitable fare of 3 cents. It is estimated that the daily loss of the New York Central during the period it is prevented from adopting the new rates is between $35,000 and $50,000. Every day of delay in hearing the rate case increases this loss, with no possibility that fares will be retroactive or that the State or any person can be held liable for the losses suffered.

In view of these losses the railroads' counsel are anxious to press the case with all dispatch, and they are desirous to retain the original date of the hearing upon whether the injunction against the fare rise should be made permanent. The original date was Dec. 11, but there was an intimation by Attorney General Newton that he might ask for postponement on the ground that all the sixty-one defendants were not co-operating and that it would take time to get the into court for the hearing before Supreme Court Justice Hasbrouck, in Kingston.

According to counsel for the larger railroads, their case is all prepared and has been ready for a long time. The railroads want to go ahead and have the case decided as to whether the State Public Service Commission has the power to overrule the intrastate rates granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Receipts yesterday, 5,753 packages. Tone of market slightly easier on fine butter; medium grades, somewhat weaker; low grades, especially packing stock, very dull and lower. Creamery, higher than extras, lb. 52½@53c; extras, 92 score, 51½@52c; firsts, 90 to 91 score, 46½@50½c; firsts, 88 to 89 score, 43@46c; seconds, 83 to 87 score, 36@41c; lower grades, 34@35c; Danish casks, 47@51c; unsalted, higher than extras, 55@55½c; extras, 53½@54½c; firsts, 44@52c; seconds, 37@42c; held or storage, high scoring, 51c; extras, 49@50c; firsts, 42@48c; seconds, 35@40c; lower grades, 32@34c; State dairy tubs, finest, 49@50c; good to prime, 44@48c; common to fair, 33@42c; renovated, extras, 42@43c; ladies, current make, firsts, 30@31c; seconds, 27@28c; lower grades, 25@26c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 25@26c; No. 2, 24c; lower grades, 22@23c.

EGGS—Receipts yesterday, 8,028 cases. High grades of fresh scarce and prices firm; good medium qualities cleaning up better; undergrades, still irregular; storage, firm; whites, unchanged quotations. Fresh-gathered, extra, dozen, 91@92c; extra firsts, 87@90c; firsts, 83@86c; seconds, 75@82c; dirties, No. 1, 56@58c; checks, fair to choice, dry, 50@54c; refrigerator, special marks, fancy, 61c; firsts, 50@60c; seconds, 56@58½c; State, Pennsylvania and near-by Western hennery whites, extras, $1.06@1.08; extra firsts, $1.02@1.05; firsts, 95c@$1; gathered whites, firsts to extra firsts, 95c@$1.05; undergrades, 80@92c; pullets, 78@85c; Pacific Coast, whites, extra firsts, $1.02@$1.05; firsts, 98c@$1; pullets, selected, small out, 93c; usual size, 80@85c; other Western and Southern, gathered whites, 70@95c; State, Pennsylvania and near-by Western, hennery browns, extra, 93@96c; gathered brown and mixed colors, graded extras, 91@92c; firsts to extra firsts, 83@90c.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

New York Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 7.—Twenty-eight new corporations, with an aggregate capitalization of $3,345,750, were chartered today. They include:

Armbro Realty Corp., Manhattan, $300,000; G. W. Lindsay, B. S. Barron, W. W. Hoover, 38 Park Row.

Marina Realty Co., Roslyn, $25,000; J. W. Glass, E. P. and F. C. Henderson, Roslyn.

L. and M. Woodworking Co., Manhattan, $10,000; M. Marcus, M. and S. Lustig, 1,154 Union St., Brooklyn.

State Coat and Apron Supply Co., Manhattan, $20,000; S. Rabinowitz, L. Froomer, L. Seidler, 263 West 21st St.

Petrino-Rosen Realty Corp., Buffalo, brokerage, 1,500 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 10,000 common, $10 each; active capital, $250,000; S. L. and A. A. Petrino, L. H. Rosen, Buffalo.

Schwarzbart Bros., Manhattan, cloaks and suits, $10,000; A. and G. and S. Schwarzbart, 218 East 20th St.

H. W. Williams Co., Manhattan, engravings and etchings, $20,000; F. Tischner, W. B. Gugel, O. M. MacMillan, Jr., 26 Court St., Brooklyn.

Pittsford Lumber Co., Pittsford, Monroe Co., 300 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 350 common, no par value; active capital, $35,000; M. C. Bartholomew, M. L. Heinle, B. M. Lempenau, Buffalo.

John L. Shultz Sons' Co., Syracuse, farm produce and sawmill, $600,000; J. L. and R. M. and G. L. Shultz, Syracuse.

Truly Warner, Manhattan, hats, 7,500 shares preferred stock, $100 each; 5,000 common, no par value; active capital, $775,000; L. Epstein, E. T. Morgan, M. E. Friedlander, 1,328 Broadway.

Johnson Av. Live Poultry Corp., Brooklyn, $10,000; B. Komarow, J. Grassgreen, S. Margulies, 106 Ralph Av., Brooklyn.

Third and Morris Av. Garage, Bronx, $16,000; I. Kastleman, M. Cohen, P. Arvan, 1,415 Fulton Av., Bronx.

Hercules Auto Parts and Spring Mfg. Co., Manhattan, $6,000; C. Zuckerman, M. Leibowitz, M. Rosenzweig, 357 South Fifth St., Brooklyn.

Maupon Fur Mfg. Co., Manhattan, furs, $5,000; H. Maas, W. Meehan, S. Chadwick, 69 West 118th St.

Leebo Printing Co., Manhattan, $5,000; B. E. Steinbeck, M. Streusand, M. E. Kaplan, 580 West 161st St.

O-G-S Homes Construction Co., Amityville, $25,000; J. J. Creahan, T. A. Burke, H. Hageman, 79 Elton St., Brooklyn.

Rochester Horsemen's Assn., Rochester, hold trotting meets, $50,000; W. P. Webber, C. W. Lee, H. G. White, Rochester.

Hartt Systems, Saratoga Springs, advertising, $10,000; A. Adams, R. Walton, R. C. Garhartt, Saratoga Springs.

East African Plantations, Manhattan, develop land, $750,000; S. A. Lunine, F. W. Reder, L. A. Kalish, 828 Dawson St.

Samuel Fleick Realty Corp., Manhattan, stocks and bonds, $84,000; I. N. Jacobson, G. Roth, S. Fleick, Far Rockaway.

Superior Green and White Taxicab Assn., Manhattan, $25,000; H. Vogel, M. Saperstein, I. Levy, 1,686 Clay Av., Bronx.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

Electric Transport Co., Manhattan, $100,000 to $750,000.

George E. Seitz, Manhattan, $50,000 to $250,000.

Sahoff Corp., Manhattan, carry on business with $15,500 (formerly $500) and 100 shares preferred stock $100 each; 20 common, no par value.

Wolf Safety Lamp Co. of America, Manhattan, $15,000 to $30,000.

Reliable Service Auto Co., Brooklyn, $3,000 to $25,000.

Unadilla Silo Co., Unadilla, $80,000 to $125,000.

Middletown Clothing Co., Rochester, $10,000 to $50,000.

Styan Grocery, Syracuse, $10,000 to $25,000.

NAME CHANGES.

Chicago Shipping and Receipt Book Co., to Wilson Jones Loose Leaf Co.

Ribstone Concrete Corp., Inc., Batavia, to Ribstone Concrete Corp.

B. G. Behrman & Co., Manhattan, to Irving Rosenheim & Co.

American Cotton Conditioning Co., Utica, to Utica Cotton Co.

William H. Assenbeck & Co., Manhattan, to John H. Borger & Co.

DESIGNATIONS.

Auditore Steamship Line, Del.; 10,000 shares common stock, no par value. Rep., J. G. Stockham, 2 Stone St.

Aircraft Sales and Salvage Co., Del., 1,000 shares common stock, no par value. Rep., E. A. Kelly, 280 Madison Av.

William R. Warner & Co., Del., druggists, $2,000,000. Rep., H. E. James, 113 West 18th St.

Celite Products Co., Cal., quarrying, $1,000,000. Rep., T. G. Lee, 11 Broadway.

WITHDRAWAL.

William R. Warner & Co., Pa.

DISSOLUTIONS.

Spaulding Chain Corp., Manhattan.
George J. Altman, Manhattan.
Calcium Light Advertising Co., Newburg.
Cortland Sweeper Co., Cortland.
Alfred Brumme Co., Brooklyn.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Del., Dec. 7.—Charters filed today:

Diamond Pipe Line and Marketing Corp., Wilmington, construct oil and gas pipe lines, $5,000,000; T. L. Croteau, M. A. Bruce, S. E. Dill, Wilmington.

"O. K." Oil and Mining Co., mine, $2,000,000; C. T. Cohen, C. B. Outten, S. L. Mackey, Wilmington.

Guaranty Co. of Maryland, stocks and bonds, $1,135,000; C. T. Cohen, C. B. Outten, S. L. Mackey, Wilmington.

Rose Petroleum Corp., drill and transport, $1,000,000; T. L. Croteau, M. A. Bruce, S. E. Dill, Wilmington.

Meeks Oil Co., drill, $500,000; A. W. Britton, S. E. Howard, Robert K. Thistle, New York.

Weber Showcase and Fixture Co., manufacture, $500,000; T. L. Croteau, M. A. Bruce, S. E. Dill, Wilmington.

Dayton and Burk County Oil and Gas Co., drill, $500,000; M. L. Rogers, T. A. Irwin, W. G. Singer, Wilmington.

Nobby Stores, manufacture wearing apparel, $400,000; C. B. Outten, C. T. Cohen, S. L. Mackey, Wilmington.

Florona Securities Corp., stocks and bonds, $350,000; Samuel B. Howard, Arthur W. Britton, Robert K. Thistle, New York.

Electric Co. of Delaware, $100,000; Frank M. Holbrook, Harry I. Conklin, John J. Noell, Wilmington.

Braymens Publishing Co., newspapers and magazines, $100,000; Ralph S. Shuborn, Charles L. Roch, Clark T. McConnell, Chicago.

Henry I. Jebb & Co., stock brokers, $50,000; Charles B. Bishop, A. M. Fox, R. H. Ochletree, Wilmington.

Joseph E. Wilhelm Co., fruits and vegetables, $25,000; Joseph E. Wilhelm, Joseph Leroy Wilhelm, William F. Smalley, Wilmington.

Langan & Phillips, deal in automobiles, $10,000; J. E. Phillips, Phila.; Thomas Gilroy, Narberth, Pa.; Thomas E. Brahony, Phila.

Nelson Realty Co., real estate, $10,000; Hal G. Nelson, H. T. Cunningham, Nelson Wilson, Washington.

A. E. F. Photo Service, photo plays, booklets, $2,000; Elizabeth Buckhages, Mattie L. Massie, Everett Dufour, Washington.

CAPITAL INCREASE.

Ed S. Moore and Lee McGiff, Birmingham, Ala., $15,000 to $75,000.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, Dec. 7.—New charters filed:

Hauert-Lewis Furniture Co., Guttenburg, $50,000; Nicholas S. Schloeder, Leo Cahn, West New York; Henry Hauert, West Hoboken.

Glendora Block & Brick Mfg. Co., Glendora, $50,000; Wilbur D. Speece, Glendora; Joseph D. Kareen, Walter D. Armstrong, Philadelphia.

Royal Enterprises, Flemington, cinema plays, $25,000; B. A. Boyar, Flemington; Emanuel H. Light, Nathan Tucker, New York.

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
700	‡Acme Coal	1¾	1¼	1¾	200	‡Kay Co Gas	1¼	1¼	1¼
500	‡Aetna Expl.	9⅝	9¼	9¼	1,600	‡Mercer Mot	5½	5	5¼
500	‡Allied Pack.	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	200	‡Mun Furni.	14	14	14
200	‡Am H S S.	45	45	45	200	N A P & P.	4½	4½	4½
200	Auto Fuel S	68	67¾	67¾	700	Perfect Tire	1¼	1½	1¼
800	‡Br-Am Ch..	5	4½	4½	500	‡Radio, w i	2¼	2¼	2¼
3,000	‡Br-Am Tob coupon	12¼	12	12¼	1,060	‡ Do pf w i	2½	2½	2½
1,000	‡ Do regist'd	12¼	12	12¼	285	‡E & Z Van Raalte pf..	60	60	60
500	‡Car L & P.	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	200	‡Rock R M..	5¼	5	5¼
2,300	‡Chi Nipple..	8¼	8	8¼	100	‡Roy de Fr'ce T P, Inc...	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
195	‡Cleve Auto.	47	46½	46½	200	‡Stan G & E	11	10½	11
3,500	‡Crude Chem	1¼	1¼	1¼	100	‡Stan Gas pf	33¾	33½	33¼
500	‡Emp T & S.	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝	25,000	‡Sweets of A	2⅝	2⅝	2½
200	‡Farrell Coal	16	15½	15½	700	‡Tob Pr Exp	8½	8	8
300	‡ Do pf....	65	65	65	700	‡URS Candy	8½	8¼	8½
3,000	‡Gardner Mo	17	16⅞	17	200	‡Union Ship.	5	5	5
200	‡Garland S S	5⅞	5⅝	5⅝	300	U S Distrib	30¼	30	30¼
6,000	‡Gen Asph..	42½	40	40½	200	U S Ship...	2	2	2
6,000	‡Goldw Pict.	5	4½	4½	1,500	U S St'ship	1¼	1¼	1¼
400	‡Hall Signal	3¼	3¼	3¼	2,300	Wayne Coal	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝
900	‡Here Paper	20	19	19	300	‡Willys 1st pf	31	28	28
500	‡Heyden Ch.	3¼	3¼	3¼					
400	Indian Pack.	3⅝	3½	3½					

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
500	‡Anglo-Am..	19	18¾	18¾	56	‡Std Oil,Cal.	322	320	323
10	‡So Penn Oil.	250	250	250	25	‡Std Oil,NY.	365	357	357

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50,000	††Allied Oil.	17	14	15	300	‡Merritt Oil.	12	11⅝	11⅝
700	‡AtlanticGulf	3⅝	3½	3⅝	6,800	Mexico Oil..	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
2,600	‡Boone Oil..	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	200	Mex-Panuco.	8	8	8
3,500	†‡Bos-Wyo...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	250	‡Midw Ref..	147	146	146
5,000	‡Carib Synd.	10¼	9¾	9¾	2,800	‡Midw Tex..	⅜	¼	⅜
200	‡Central Pet.	31	30½	31	9,000	Noble Oil&G.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
600	‡Cities Serv. B T shares	31⅝	31½	31½	100	N Am O & R	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
400	‡Col Emerald	3	3	3	500	Omar, new..	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
2,700	‡Cushing Pet	½	7/16	½	800	‡Pennok Oil..	6	5⅜	5⅝
1,000	‡Denny Oil..	1¼	1¼	1¼	4,610	‡Prod & Ref.	5	4⅞	5
1,000	‡Elk Basin..	8⅛	8	8	800	‡Red Rock..	⅜	⅜	⅜
3,100	Engrs Pet..	1¼	1⅛	1¼	3,000	‡RyanCon,w i	14⅛	12⅝	14⅛
800	Federal Oil..	2¼	2	2	400	‡Settled Prod	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
800	‡Gilliland Oil	20¼	20	20	5,800	‡Simms Pet..	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
1,500	‡Glenrock Oil	2⅛	1⅞	2⅛	1,500	Skelly Oil ..	8	7⅝	7⅝
800	‡Guffey-Gil..	27¼	26⅞	26⅞	100	Spencer Pet.	10¼	10¼	10¼
1,100	‡Hudson Oil..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11,400	‡Texon O&L.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
5,000	‡Inter Pet...	17½	16⅞	16⅞	800	‡UnTexPete.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,800	‡Lyons Oil..	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	2,500	‡Vulcan Oil..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,100	‡Maracaibo..	16⅝	16	16⅝	1,000	‡West States.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
					1,100	‡W'dburn Oil	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
7,800	Al-Brit C M	[illegible]	½	[illegible]	3,200	†Jumbo Ext.	5½	4½	5
500	‡Am Mines...	1	1	1	4,300	†‡Knox Div..	10	9½	10
2,300	†‡Atlanta ..	1⅛	1	1⅛	10,000	‡Lone Star..	4½	4¼	4½
3,800	†‡BelcherDiv (a pros.)..	4	3	4	3,000	†‡MacN Min	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,700	†‡BelcherExt (a pros.)..	4½	4	4½	1,400	†‡Marsh Min	8⅛	8	8⅛
2,500	Big Ledge..	⅝	⅝	⅝	200	‡Moth'lode C	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
3,000	†‡Booth	4	4	4	1,300	M-M-M, Ltd	77	70	75
10,000	†Bost & Mon	41	40	41	1,800	Nip Mines...	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
5,000	†‡Caledonia..	18	16	17	400	Ophir Sil M	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
3,200	†‡Cashboy ..	7	6¾	6¾	500	Prince Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6,000	Con Cop'min	1⅞	1⅝	1⅝	2,100	Ray V Cop..	1	1	1
800	Con Vir Sil..	3¼	3⅛	3¼	1,000	Rex Consol..	5	5	5
3,200	‡Cortez Silv.	64	62	64	3,200	Roper-G M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,200	Cress Con G	1¼	1¼	1¼	3,700	†‡Silver Pick	5½	5	5½
8,300	Div Ex (pr)	32	31	31½	1,300	St Croix Sil.	⅝	½	⅝
3,000	El Sal Silver	⅝	½	⅝	200	S A G & P.	4½	4½	4½
2,000	Emma Silver	4	3	3	200	Stand Sil-Ld	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
35,000	‡Eureka C M	49	43	46	3,000	†‡Success M.	2	1½	2
1,400	††Eureka Hol	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	1,500	‡Suther Div.	3	2	3
5,000	‡Forty-nineM	⅝	⅝	⅝	500	‡Talapoosa S	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10,700	†‡Gold Z Div	24	22½	23½	1,250	‡Ton Belm't.	1½	1⅜	1½
3,600	†‡Goldf Con.	6	5	6	1,700	‡Ton Divide.	1½	1⅜	1⅜
2,700	†‡Goldf Dev.	3	2	2½	470	Ton Exten...	1½	1⅜	1⅜
3,200	††Goldf Mer.	1½	1	1	520	†‡Ton Mining.	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
2,000	†‡Gt Bend...	1	1	1	2,300	Un Eastern.	2⅛	2	2⅛
8,000	†‡Harm D M	28	23	28	4,700	†‡VicD (pr.)	5	4½	5
723	Hecla Min..	4½	3¾	4⅛	2,500	†W E Cons.	1⅛	1	1⅛
2,500	†‡Jim Butler	18	16	17	3,200	†Wh Caps M	7	6½	7
					2,800	Wilbert Min.	2⅛	1½	2

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$35,000	‡Allied Packers 6s	52½	51	51
16,000	‡Aluminum Mfg. 7s	96	95½	96
25,000	‡Am T & T 6s, 1922	95	94⅞	95
6,000	‡Am T & T, 1924	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
30,000	‡Anaconda Copper 7s, w i	91	90⅞	91
15,000	‡Anglo-Am Oil 7½s, w i	100	99⅞	99⅞
20,000	‡Armour 7s, w i	95¾	95½	95½
15,000	‡Beth Steel 7s, 1935, w i	94⅞	94⅝	94⅝
10,000	‡Brazilian Light & Trac	91	91	91
4,000	‡Brooklyn Edison 7s	97¼	97¼	97¼
2,000	‡Can Nat'l Ry 7s, 1935	101	101	101
50,000	‡Consolidated Gas 8s	99⅞	99⅝	99⅞
20,000	‡Denmark 8s	98	97⅝	98
4,000	‡Emp Gas & F 8s, 1924	83	82	83
5,000	‡Diamond Match 7s	100⅛	100	100
10,000	‡Galena Signal Oil 7s	93½	93¼	93½
10,000	‡Goodrich 7s, 1925, w i	88	87½	87½
5,000	‡Gov of Sweden 6s	78½	78⅛	78½
10,000	‡Grand Trunk 7s	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
40,000	‡Inter Rapid Transit 7s	72	71	71½
20,000	‡Kingdom of Norway, w i	99⅝	99⅛	99⅝
4,000	‡Lukens Steel 8s	99⅝	99½	99½
5,000	‡National Leather 8s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1,000	‡N Y, N H & H 4s	67	67	67
5,000	‡Ohio Cities Gas 7s, 1923	93⅛	93¼	93⅛
1,000	‡Ohio Cities Gas, 1925	93	93	93
30,000	‡Seaboard Air Line 6s	51½	51	51½
30,000	‡Sears, Roebuck 7s (1 yr)	97⅞	97⅝	..
40,000	Sinclair 7½s	90½	90	90
10,000	‡Solvay & Cie 8s	100	99⅞	99⅞
20,000	‡Swiss Gov 5½s	80⅛	80	80
3,000	‡Texas Co 7% notes	98⅛	97⅞	98
100	‡Union Tank Line 7s	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
5,000	‡Western Electric 7s	99	98⅞	99

†Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

PUBLIC UTILITIES

Sales.		High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
490	Cities Service	267	264	265	270
1,815	Cities Service pf.	64¼	64	64¼	64½
918	Cities Service pf. B.	6⅝	6	6⅞	6⅞
2,926	Cities Service bk. shares	32	31½	31⅞	32½
$19,200	Cities Service deb. B.	130	127	127	132
32,500	Cities Service deb. C.	92½	91⅞	92	94
22,000	Cities Service deb. D.	86	85	84	86
430	Empire Gas and Fuel pf.	85	84	84½	86½

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am Gas & Electric	99	102	Galveston-Hous Elec pf	62	66
Am Gas & Electric pf	34	36	Miss River Power	11	13
Am Light & Traction	108	110	Miss River Power pf	58	..
Am Light & Trac pf	78	80	Northern States Power	..	45
Am Power & Light	47	51	North States Pow pf	78	81
Am Power & Light pf	..	63	Northern Texas Elec	71	78
Am W W & Electric	2	3	North Texas Elec pf	65	70
Am W W & Elec 1st pf	40	42	Pacific Gas & Elec pf	78	80
Am W W & Elec partic	5	7	Puget Sound Pow & Lt	15½	18
Appalachian Power	1	5	Puget Sd Pow & Lt pf	55	58
Appalachian Power pf	15	24	Republic Ry & Light	7¼	8
Carolina Power & Lt	30	34	Republic Ry & Light pf	20	23
Colorado Power	9	11½	Southern Cal Edison	86½	88
Colorado Power pf	..	82	Southern Cal Edison pf	96	100
Columbus Electric pf	53	57	Standard Gas & Elec	10¼	12
Com Power, Ry & Lt	10	14	Standard Gas & El pf	33	35
Com Power, Ry & Lt pf	33	35	Tampa Electric	108	112
Conn Power pf	74	78	Tenn Ry, Lt & Power	¼	1½
Eastern Texas Electric	68½	72	Tenn Ry, Lt & Pow pf	2	4
Eastern Texas Elec pf	66	70	United Light & Rys	18	22
El Paso Electric	82	86	United Light & Rys pf	52	56
Electric Bond Sh pf	78	82	Western Power	19	20¼
Federal Light & Trac	6	9	Utah Securities	80⅞	81½
Federal Lt & Trac pf	45	50	Western Power pf	59	61
Galveston-Hous Elec	25	..			

Bonds.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am W W & El col 5s	51	54	Miss Riv Pow 5s, '51	75	76
Appalachian 1st 5s, '41	65	70	Nor States Pow 5s, '41	76	80
Cin Gas & Elec 5s, 56	80	85	Nor States Pow 6s, '26	80	85
Col Gas & El deb 5s, '27	76	80	Seattle Electric 5s, '29	78	..
Col Gas & El 1st 5s, 27	80	83	Stand Gas & El 6s, '35	65	70
Conn Power 5s, '63	73	..	Stand Gas & El 7s, '21	95	99
Dallas Electric 5s, '22	100	..	Stand Gas 6s, '26	84	89
East Tex Elec 6s, '42	73	..	Utah Sec	80½	81½
Empire Gas & El 6s, '24	84	86	West States G & E5s, '41	78	82
Midwest Utilities 6s, '25	85	90			

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Anglo-Am Oil, Ltd	18¾	19¼	19	Penn-Mex Fuel	39	41	40
Atlantic Lobos	20	25	25	Prairie Oil & Gas	505	515	510
Do pf	65	75	75	Prairie Pipe Line	203	208	203
Borne-Scrymser	400	420	400	Solar Refining	360	390	360
Buckeye Pipe Line	84	87	84	Southern Pipe L	100	103	100
Chesebr Mfg Cons	195	210	195	South Penn Oil	248	253	248
Do pf	100	102	100	S W Penn P L	60	65	60
Continental Oil	109	112	109	Stand Oil of Ca	322	326	320
Crescent Pipe Line	28	31	28	Stand Oil of Ind	720	730	725
Cumberland P L	125	135	125	Do New	290	300	290
Eureka Pipe Line	90	100	93	Do $25 par	73	75	74
Galena Signal Oil	48	50	49	Stand Oil of Kan	600	625	600
Do pf, new	88	92	88	Stand Oil of Ky	450	470	440
Do pf, old	90	94	90	Stand Oil of Neb	410	430	410
Illinois Pipe Line	157	162	157	Stand Oil of N Y	358	362	360
Imperial Oil, Ltd	98	102	95	Stand Oil of Ohio	400	415	400
Indiana Pipe Line	85	87	85	Do pf	103	106	103
Int Pet Co, Ltd	16¾	17¼	17	Swan & Finch	45	60	45
National Transit	25	27	25	Union Tank Car	104	108	104
New York Transit	160	165	160	Do pf	95	98	95
Northern Pipe Line	96	102	98	Vacuum Oil	317	322	315
Ohio Oil Co	288	293	292	Washington Oil	30	35	30

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Am Brass	167	172	167	Hercules	190	197	190
Am Chicle	19	20	23	Do 1st pf	91	93	91
Do pf	64	70	64	Illinois Trac	14	17	14
Amal Leather	9	[illegible]	9	Do pf	58	63	58
Do pf	48	60	48	Ingersoll-Rand	156	165	155
Am Light & Trac	108	110	109	Do pf	98	99	98
Do pf	80	83	80	Merck	..	80	..
Atlas Powder	120	130	130	Merrimac Chem	78	80	78
Do pf	74	77	75	New Jersey Zinc	142	145	140
Babcock & Wilcox	103	105	103	Niles-Bem't-Pond	71	75	74
Borden & Co	85½	87	85½	Do pf	..	100	..
Do pf	80	82	80	Northern Securities	80	90	80
Childs Co	76	80	76	Royal Bak Pow	108	114	108
Do pf	88	90	80	Do pf	80	82	80
Crocker-Wheeler	90	95	90	Scovil Mfg	310	340	310
Draper Corp	123½	126½	123½	Singer Mfg	140	155	148
Du Pont	167	172	167	Stand Screw Co	..	245	..
Do pf	76½	78½	76½	Van Raalte	14	24	14
E W Bliss	350	380	350	Do pf	50	60	55
Do pf	..	60	..	Valvo Oil 1st cv pf	97	100	97
Gil Safety Razor	135	136	136				

SUGAR STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Caracas Sugar	40	45	40	Great Western	300	325	315
Central Aguirre	63	66	63	Do pf	106	112	107
Central Sugar	13	17	13	Holly	29	32	29
Do pf	40	50	40	Do pf	88	92	88
Fajardo	85	100	85	Nat Sugar Ref	120	125	122
Federal Sugar	100	105	100	Santa Cecelia pf	45	60	45
Do pf	100	105	100	Savannah	20	40	25
Godchaux	28	32	28	Do pf	45	60	45
Do pf	70	76	70	West India	80	90	85

TOBACCO STOCKS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
Am Cigar	85	90	84	Porto Rico-Am	92	100	97
Do pf	78	84	78	Do scrip	85	100	90
Am Tobacco scrip	96	102	90	RJReynolds,A,new	80	90	84
Geo W Helme	153	163	154	Do B, new	33	37	32
Do pf	90	95	90	Do pf	100	102	100
J S Young	136	145	135	United Leaf Tob	146	160	145
Do pf	85	90	85	Do pf	94	98	98
MacA & Forbes	107	114	107	Weyman-Bruton	150	160	154
Do pf	77	88	77	Do pf	90	95	90

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
50	Allied Chem.	51⅝	51¼	51⅝	270	Lehigh Val..	52⅝	50⅝	51⅝
100	Alaska Jun..	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	65	Loew's, Inc..	17½	17½	17½
50	Ajax Rubber	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	110	Loft Candy..	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
30	Allis-Chalm.	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝	7,950	Mex Petrol..	177½	170	173⅝
20	Am Ag Ch..	53½	53½	53½	60	Miami Cop..	16	15¾	16
210	Am Can	26⅛	25⅝	26	1,060	MidvaleSteel	31⅝	31⅛	31⅝
10	Am C & F.	125	125	125	1,540	MidStatesOil	13⅛	13	13
90	Am Cot Oil..	18⅝	17⅝	18⅝	40	Mo, K & T..	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
70	Am Druggist	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	195	Mo Pac	20¼	20¼	20¼
10	Am H & L pf	48	47½	48	40	Do pf	42½	41⅝	41⅝
35	Am Ice Sec..	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	10	Mont Ward..	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
395	Am Int Corp	40⅝	40	40⅝	50	Nat Conduit.	4	3⅞	3⅞
85	Am Linseed.	61⅝	60⅝	60⅝	50	Nat Enam&S	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
20	Am Loco	84½	84½	84½	10	Nev Con	8½	8½	8½
160	Am Saf Raz	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	40	N Y Central	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
170	Am S & C.	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	485	NY, NH & H	20⅛	19⅝	19⅝
180	Am S & R.	46⅛	45	45	485	N Y, O & W	18⅝	17⅝	18
90	Am Sugar..	92¼	91¼	91¼	210	North Pac...	84⅝	83⅝	83½
215	Am Su Tob..	74⅛	71⅝	72	270	Okla P & R..	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
110	Am T & T..	99⅛	98⅝	99⅛	1,875	Pan Am	84	81⅝	83
450	Am Woolen.	73⅝	70⅝	71⅝	10	Do B	76⅝	76½	76½
160	Am Zinc	7	7	7	195	Pennsylvania	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
310	Anacon Cop.	39⅛	38⅝	39	10	Pa Steel	10⅛	9⅝	10⅛
90	Atchison	83	82½	82½	750	Pierce-Arrow	23	22	22⅝
400	A, G & W I.	113½	109⅝	111⅝	40	Peoples Gas.	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
5,120	Bald Loco..	95⅝	93⅝	94½	20	Phila Co	35⅝	35½	35½
685	Balt & Ohio.	37	35⅝	36⅝	160	Phillips Pet..	32⅝	31⅛	31½
190	Beth Motors.	3	3	3	50	Pere Marq..	19⅝	19	19⅝
1,440	Beth Stl B..	55	54⅝	54⅝	179	Pure Oil	34½	33½	34
220	Booth Fish..	4	3⅝	4	10	Ry Stl Spgs.	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝
70	Bosch Mag..	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝	110	Ray Con Cop	12	11⅝	11⅝
20	Butte C & Z.	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	3,470	Reading	89	87⅝	88½
50	Cal Packing.	64	63⅝	64	150	Do 2d pf..	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝
250	Cal Petrol..	24	22	23⅝	60	Replogle Stl.	71⅛	70⅝	71⅛
70	Can Pacific.	115½	115	115½	175	Rep Iron & S	67⅝	67	67
10	Cerro de P.	28⅝	27	27⅛	60	Repub Motor	24	24	24
240	Cen Leather.	39⅝	38⅝	38⅝	1,500	Royal Dutch	65⅝	63⅝	65
210	Chand Motor	77	76⅝	76⅝	85	Superior Oil.	13	12	12
50	Ches & Ohio.	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	25	SaxonMotors	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
80	Chi Gt West	8	8	8	10	Shell Transp	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
10	Do pf	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	840	Sinclair Oil..	25⅝	25⅛	25⅝
710	C, M & St P	30⅝	30	30⅝	3,895	South Pac...	103⅛	101⅝	101⅝
800	Do pf	50⅛	49⅝	50⅛	120	Do rights..	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
170	C, R I & P.	30⅛	29⅝	29⅝	50	Southern Ry	23⅝	23	23⅛
170	Chile Copper	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	270	Stromb Carb	43⅝	40	40
40	Chino Copper	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	1,810	Studebaker..	46	44½	45⅝
310	Coca-Cola	21⅝	21¼	21¼	60	St L & S F..	23¼	23⅛	23¼
323	Col Grapho..	13⅛	13	13	50	Submar Boat	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
69	Con I Cal M	7⅝	7¼	7¼	20	U S Sm&Ref	39½	38⅝	39½
10	Con Gas	80¼	80¼	80¼	90	Seab'd Air L	6¼	6¼	6¼
184	Con Textile..	20¼	19⅛	19⅛	90	Sears-Roe	102	102	102
35	Cont Candy..	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	10	Seneca Cop..	18½	18½	18½
3,720	Corn Prod...	72½	69⅝	71⅛	90	St L S W...	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
2,220	Crucible Stl.	94⅝	91½	93	10	TimesSqAuto	11	11	11
5	Cuban-Am S	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	10	Tenn Copper	8½	8	8
105	Cuba Cane S	24	23	23	1,065	Texas Co	51	49⅝	50⅝
100	Den & R G..	1	⅞	⅞	265	Tex & Pac..	20⅝	20	20
500	Do pf	1	⅞	1	2,630	TexPac C&O	40⅝	32	40⅝
190	Erie	14¼	14⅛	14¼	40	Third Av	15⅛	14⅝	15⅛
60	Do 1st pf..	21⅛	21	21⅛	10	Tob Prod	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
50	Fam Players	54½	53⅝	54½	380	TranscontOil	9⅝	8⅝	9⅝
580	Fisk T & R.	12⅛	11⅝	11⅝	210	Union Oil	22¼	22¼	22¼
10	Gas, W & W	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	160	Union Pac...	118⅝	118	118½
1,530	Gen Motors..	15½	15	15½	170	Un Ret Strs.	57⅛	56⅝	57
460	Good Rubber	42½	41⅝	41⅝	975	UnFoodProd	24⅝	23⅛	24⅝
80	Gt Nor pf..	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	850	U S Ind Alc.	67⅛	65⅝	67
140	Houston Oil.	86⅛	85½	86½	200	U S Rubber..	68½	67⅝	68⅝
840	Hupp Mot C.	11	10⅛	10⅛	6,020	U S Steel...	82⅛	81½	81⅝
90	Inspira Cop.	32⅝	32⅛	32⅛	75	Utah Copper	52⅛	51⅝	52
160	Int M M pf	53⅛	52⅝	53⅛	780	Vanadium	44	42½	43
230	Invincible Oil	24⅛	23⅝	23⅝	160	Vivaudou	9⅛	9	9
1,935	Island Oil	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	15	Wabash	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
160	Int Paper	51½	50	50⅝	90	Do A	22⅝	22½	22½
200	InterboroCon	4½	4½	4½	15	Wilson Beef.	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝
80	Do pf	10½	10⅛	10½	50	Western Md.	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
200	Kan City So.	20⅛	20	20⅛	70	W'house El.	42⅝	42¼	42¼
350	KellySpgfldT	40⅝	39⅝	40⅝	2,950	Willys-Over.	7⅝	5⅝	5⅝
85	Kennec't Cop	18⅝	18¼	18⅝	10	Wheel & L E	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
50	Keyst'e T&R	8⅝	7⅝	7⅝	145	White Mots..	38⅛	37⅝	37½
20	Lack Steel..	54½	54½	54½					

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

	Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.		Yesterday Bid.	Yesterday Ask.	Monday Bid.
4½s July, 1967	92	93¼	92¼	3½s May, 1954	75	76½	75
4½s June, 1965	92	93¼	92¼	3½s Nov., 1954	75	76½	75
4½s Mar., 1963	92	93¼	92¼	3½s Nov., 1955	74½	76½	74½
4½s Nov., 1957	92	93¼	92¼	The following are quoted on a percentage basis:			
4½s May, 1957	92	93¼	92¼	4½s 1924-1932	5.25	4.80	5.25
4¼s Apr., 1966	87	88¼	87½	4½s 1921-1923	5.50	4.90	5.50
4¼s Mar., 1964	87	88¼	87½	4¼s 1924-1931	5.25	4.80	5.25
4¼s Mar., 1962	87	88¼	87½	4¼s 1921-1923	5.50	4.90	5.50
4¼s Sept., 1960	87	88¼	87½	3½s 1940-1949	5.15	4.95	5.30
4¼s Mar., 1960-80	87	88¼	87½	3½s 1934-1939	5.30	4.95	5.30
4s May, 1959	82½	84¼	83	3½s 1924-1930	5.40	5.00	5.40
4s Nov., 1958	82½	84¼	83	3½s 1921-1923	5.50	5.50	5.50
4s May, 1957	82½	84¼	83	3s 1940-1953	5.30	4.90	5.30
4s Nov., 1956	82	84¼	82¼	3s 1926-1930	5.50	4.90	5.50
4s Nov., 1955	82	84¼	82¼	3s 1921-1925	6.25	5.25	6.25
4s Nov., 1936	87	90	87				

OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

BALTIMORE.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
220	Cosden pf	4	4	4	485	Davison Ch..	31	31	31
1,400	Celestine	90	86	90	70	Md Casualty	77	77	77
15	Con Power..	91	91	91	45	Mt Ver Mills	58½	58½	58½
70	Con Coal	82½	82½	82½	5	Pa Water..	82½	82½	82½
45	Citizens Bk..	40	40	40	625	United Rys..	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
700	CenTerSug pf	6	5⅞	6					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$10,000	Chi Ry 5s..	60	60	60	$12,000	URys ref 4s	63⅝	63⅝	63⅝
20,000	Cosden 6s..	92	91⅛	91⅛	2,000	Do incs	44	44	44
5,000	ConCoal4½s	73	73	73					

BOSTON.

Mining.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
20	Am Zinc	7½	7¼	7¼	120	Michigan	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
15	Ahmeek	48	47⅞	47⅞	190	Mohawk	45	44	45
200	Arcadian Con	2½	2½	2½	800	New Corn'a.	15⅝	15⅛	15⅝
60	Anaconda	39⅝	39	39	1,045	New Idria..	1⅝	1¼	1⅝
510	Ariz Com'l..	7½	6⅞	6⅞	10	New Riv pf.	85	85	85
7,200	Big Heart..	6	4⅞	5⅛	125	Nipissing	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
250	Cal & Ariz..	46	45	46	185	North Butte.	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
59	Cal & Hecla.	225	221	222	92	Old Domin..	17½	17½	17½
1,200	Carson	13⅛	13	13⅛	35	Osceola	23⅛	23	23½
25	Centennial..	7	7	7	50	Pond Creek..	14	14	14
250	Chino	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	5	Quincy	38	38	38
40	Cop Range..	27½	27⅛	27⅛	5	Shannon	75c.	75c.	75c.
10	Daly-West..	4½	4½	4½	20	Shattuck	5½	5¼	5¼
364	Davis-Daly..	6	5⅞	6⅛	60	St Mary's L	31	30	31
405	East Butte..	8½	7⅝	7⅝	400	Sup & Bost.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
20	Granby	20	20	20	265	Trinity	1⅛	1	1
200	Greene	20⅛	20	20	1,400	U S Smelt..	40	37	37½
50	Hancock	3	3	3	140	Do pf	42	40	42
310	Island Creek	53	49⅝	52½	1,185	Utah Cons..	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
15	Do pf	76	76	76	100	Utah Apex..	3	3	3
100	La Salle	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	100	Utah Copper.	51⅞	51⅛	51⅞
220	May-Old C..	4	3⅞	4	400	Utah Metal.	1⅛	1	1⅛

Railroads.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
206	Bost & Alb..	123½	123	123½	1	Old Colony..	70	70	70
560	Boston Elev.	61⅝	61½	61½	20	Ver & Mass	75½	75½	75½
1,320	Boston & Me	23⅝	23¼	23⅝	510	West End...	38½	38	38¼
20	Bost & Prov.	130	130	130	15	Do pf	50	50	50
1,460	NY, NH & H	20¼	19⅝	19⅝					

Miscellaneous.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
520	Am Agricul..	55½	52½	53½	115	Do pf	60	60	60
103	Do pf	82	81⅝	81½	5	McEl 1st pf.	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
1,950	Am Oil	25	20	20	140	Mex Invest..	25½	25	25½
831	Amoskeag	71	70⅝	70⅝	978	Nat Leather	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
200	Am Pn Serv	2⅛	2	2	235	N E Tel	98	97½	98
33	Am Sugar pf.	102	102	102	2,500	Ohio Body..	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
698	Am T & T..	99¼	98⅝	98⅝	500	Pac Mills	148	148	148
62	Am Wool pf.	93½	93½	93½	35	Punta Sugar	53¼	52¼	52¼
200	Anglo-Am	10	10	10	50	Reece Fold..	3¼	3¼	3¼
4,495	Atlas Tack..	19⅝	19¼	19¼	700	Root	20	20	20
100	Bos Mex Pet.	1	1	1	40	Simms Mag..	8	7½	7½
330	Century	1	1	1	387	Swift	105⅝	105	105
245	Eastern Mfg	25	24½	25	295	Swift Inter..	26⅞	26⅝	26⅝
20	Eastern S S	17	17	17	223	United Drug.	100⅝	100	100¼
65	Edison	158	157	157⅝	110	United Twist	21⅝	21¼	21⅝
25	Gen Elec	120¼	120¼	129¼	815	United Fruit.	201	198⅝	201
180	Gorton	10	9⅞	10	1,525	United Shoe.	35½	34¼	34½
160	Gray	12¼	12⅛	12¼	245	Do pf	24¼	24	24
35	Int Cement..	23½	23⅛	23½	1,150	Ventura	17⅛	17	17
535	Int Products	8⅝	7½	8¼	25	Walderf	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
60	Do pf	28	25	28	695	Waltham W	18¼	17¼	17½
20	Island Oil	5¼	5¼	5¼	45	Do pf	70	70	70
85	Libby	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝	565	Walworth	15	15	15
40	Loew's	11½	11⅛	11½	1,320	Wickwire	21	20	21
215	Mass Gas	83	81	81					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	Am Agri 5s.	89½	89½	89½	$1,000	N E Tel 5s.	81½	81½	81½
1,000	Am T & T 4s	76	76	76	1,000	N Haven 3½s	40	40	40
2,000	A G & W I 5s	69⅝	69⅝	69⅝	5,000	Pond Ck 6s..	96	96	96
1,000	Midv Stl 5s.	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝	8,000	Swift 5s	82¼	82	82¼
7,000	Miss R P 5s	75⅝	75½	75⅝	1,000	West Tel 5s	77	77	77

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
170	Armour L...	15½	15⅛	15½	1,050	Nat Leather	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
50	Do pf	92¾	92¾	92¾	50	Pick	23½	23½	23½
255	Armour pf..	89	88¼	88¼	1,000	Piggly Wig..	13⅝	12	12
225	Booth Fish.	4½	3⅝	3⅝	50	Pub Svc pf..	83	83	83
155	Do pf	27½	25	25	100	People's Gas	36¼	36¼	36¼
1,100	Briscoe M...	9⅝	9½	9½	110	Reo Motors..	21½	21½	21½
175	C C & C Rys	½	½	½	50	Sears-Roeb..	103	103	103
650	Do pf	5½	5⅛	5⅛	1,850	Stewart W..	23¼	23	23
150	Com Edison.	102	101⅝	102	100	Stand G & E	11½	11½	11½
770	Cont M. x d.	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	1,000	Swift Int...	27	26⅝	26⅝
75	Hartman Cp	71	70⅝	70⅝	410	Swift & Co..	105⅝	105	105
500	Hupp	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	30	Temtor pf...	35	35	35
1,150	Lib-McN-Lib	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	3,800	Un Carbide..	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝
1,400	Montgom W.	18	17½	17½	100	Un Iron Wks	14½	14½	14½
100	Do pf	93	93	93	700	Wahl	42½	42	42
1,850	Mitchell M..	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛	25	West Knit..	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$8,000	CC&CRys5s.	34½	34½	34½	$6,000	ComEdist5s.	80	80	80
1,000	C Rys 1st 5s	60½	60½	60½	10,000	Morris1st4½s	73	73	73
2,000	C Rys, S B5s	30	30	30	5,000	Swift 1st 5s.	82½	82⅝	82½

DETROIT.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
175	Charcoal	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	475	Packard	12¼	12¼	12¼
75	Edison	97	96⅝	96⅝	75	Do pf	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
210	Ford of Can.	242	232	237	260	Paige	17	16½	17
5,100	Linc'nMotors	23	19	19⅝	2,000	Reo	22	21⅝	21⅝
290	Mich Sugar.	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝					

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
918	Am Gas	30	30	30	835	Phila Elec..	22⅛	21⅝	21⅝
250	Am Rys pf..	24	23⅝	24	160	Do pf	27¼	27	27
136	Am Stores..	50	50	50	7	PhilInsuWire	51½	51½	51½
100	Con Gas	80¼	80¼	80¼	241	Phila Trac..	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
471	Con Trac,NJ	38½	38	38½	1,100	Tono Mining	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1,216	ElecStorBat.	104	102⅝	103	8	Un Cos,N J.	170	170	170
123	Ins of N A..	29⅝	29	29	4,581	Un Gas Imp.	30	28⅛	30
514	Lehigh Nav.	72⅝	72½	72⅝	970	Union Trac..	31¼	29⅝	31¼
202	Phila R T..	16½	16½	16½	50	Warw'k I&S.	8	8	8
572	Phil Co 6s pf	31	30⅝	30⅝					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$4,000	ConTr(NJ)5s	66	66	66	$15,000	LV gen 4½s	80	79⅝	80
1,600	El&Peo Tr 4s	58⅝	53½	58¼	2,000	PhilEl 1st5s	82⅝	82¼	82⅝
1,000	Keyst'eTel 5s	66	66	66	4,000	P, W&B 4s.	97⅝	97½	97½

PITTSBURGH.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
20	Am Roll M.	44½	44½	44½	910	Marland Ref	3	2⅞	3
50	Am WGM pf	85½	85½	85½	200	Mfrs Lt & H	52¼	52	52
1,550	Arkan Gas..	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	25	MidvaleSteel	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
100	Barnsdall, A	37	36	37	300	Nat Firepfg.	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
30	Do B	37	37	37	100	Do pf	11¼	11¼	11¼
285	Carbohydro	1	1	1	106	OhioFuelSup	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛
140	Do pf	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	25	Okla Gas	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝
1,100	Guffey-Gil..	27½	27	27	850	PittsBrew pf	6⅛	6	6
13	Harb-W pf..	100¼	100¼	100¼	13,500	Pitts Jerome	3	3	3
70	Ind Brew pf.	3½	3½	3½	47	PittsPlGlass.	145	145	145
400	Kay Co Gas.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	50	W'house AB	97⅛	96¼	96⅝
170	Lone St Gas.	27⅝	27½	27½	300	W'house El..	42¼	42½	42½

Bonds.

$3,000 Westinghouse Electric 7s ... 94⅝ 94⅝ 94⅝

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IMMIGRATION BILL OPPOSED IN HOUSE

Illegal Charges It Is Laxly Drawn and That Minority Was Not Heard.

COMES UP ON THURSDAY

House Committee Reports Special Rule to Limit Discussion on It to Four Hours.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Opposition has developed in the House to the passage of the bill reported yesterday to suspend immigration for a period of two years. This opposition was so strong today that the House, after a two-minute attack by Representative Siegel of New York, decided to postpone consideration of the bill until next Thursday to permit the minority of the Immigration Committee to file its views. It is believed that even if the bill should go through the House in its present form the Senate will not accept complete prohibition, but will insist that immigration be placed under the control of a board with power to restrict immigration when it is deemed advisable.

Mr. Siegel said that it was an insult to the House that a bill of such importance should be reported without a committee hearing as was the case in this instance. The minority of the committee, he said, had not had an opportunity to present its report or be heard. The bill, he insisted, was a hodge-podge and laxly drawn in that it did not restrict immigration at the Mexican and Canadian borders.

He charged that the bill resulted from Henry Ford propaganda against the Jews.

"The point about the whole proposition is the fear of the large number of Jews coming in," Mr. Siegel said. "Otherwise we would have had a full bill reported. This is the first report in the history of Congress that ever approached the subject from such an angle. The majority report reads just like Ford propaganda.

"We are raising a big cry against the Bolsheviki and the Reds, while our big cities actually show a decrease in their crime statistics. There are three times the number of murders in Washington than there are in New York in proportion to population. There is less crime in this country than ever before but there is more publicity given to crime. There would be less crime if there were less tinkering with immigration."

Mr. Siegel proposed that the new policy toward immigration should be a proper distribution of immigrants in different parts of the country and that if necessary there might be a restriction when conditions here were such as to make inadvisable the admission of aliens. He said we should not encourage big immigration if idleness were widespread in the United States.

"We should start Americanization of the man the minute he arrives in the country," concluded Mr. Siegel, "and show him that he has greater opportunities away from the large cities."

The same representatives who have always opposed radical immigration law and who opposed the educational test will fight the present bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 (Associated Press).—The Rules Committee reported a special rule today under which general debate on the Johnson Immigration bill would be limited to four hours and probably disposed of at one session.

While the House Committee was acting, Senator King, Democrat, of Utah, introduced a bill proposing to suspend immigration for a period of six months. This proposal has the support of other Senators who believe that Congress should not act hastily in framing immigration legislation, but should put up the bars for a short period while it is assessing the whole situation and drafting legislation to meet it.

Senator King also offered a measure today calling upon the Secretary of Labor for a report on the disposition of appropriations made for enforcement of the law against alien anarchists, for the deportation of anarchists and for the enforcement of the immigration law.

CAMINETTI ADVOCATES EMIGRATION CENTRES

Reaches Rotterdam on His Trip for Study of Conditions Abroad.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 7.—Anthony Caminetti, United States Commissioner of Immigration, who has been traveling through the European emigration centres, has arrived here from Paris, but has declined to discuss subjects relating to America's immigration policy, which, he said, was a matter resting with the department at Washington.

"I am here," he said, "to initiate a study of the principal points of emigration from Europe and emigration as it affects America.

"The cases which appeal to the Secretary of Labor most are those of people coming from distant parts and finding on their arrival in the United States that they cannot be admitted and are obliged to return home. These people have often disposed of their home belongings and are obliged to return and start life again under disadvantageous circumstances.

"I believe these tragedies could be made impossible by good judgment, especially on this side, and by treating these matters at their source—that is, determining the cases at the centres in each country. This is the pivot of the whole thing, drawing in the whole range of the emigration problem, simplifying the proposition and reducing human suffering. The tragedies of disappointed men are almost beyond what can be avoided by proper administration.

"Centres should be established in all consular offices, where information could be made available by doctors, and public health and immigration officers, so that people can learn what are the required tests instead of leaving the country first. My experience is that they are careful to avoid danger if they know what to avoid. A system of this character would create publicity throughout Europe, which would become the subject of general discussion.

"I believe this system would materially reduce the volume of emigration and improve the character of emigrants by eliminating undesirables on this side."

Mr. Caminetti believed that the physical standard of the masses from which America is now drawing was considerably weaker than in the pre-war period. He is now proceeding to Belgium, Italy, the Mediterranean ports, Central Europe, Czechoslovakia, Warsaw and Danzig. He regretted that he had not more time to study the question.

He spent today in inspecting the elaborate arrangements of the hotels, barracks and disinfection plant connected with the handling of the thousands of emigrants sailing weekly from Rotterdam. He spent yesterday in conference with the Consul General and talked informally with the Dutch officials with the object in view of the best means of linking up Dutch and British emigration for the United States.

ANOTHER BANK CLOSES IN NORTH DAKOTA

State Bankers Meet to Halt the Disorganization of Finance There.

BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 7.—The State Bank of Loraine, Renville County, closed today, due to depleted reserves, according to word received at the State Bank Examiner's office here. This makes twenty-three State banks and one national bank to close in less than a month.

More than 300 North Dakota bankers, in conference here today with representative officials of the State Administration, adopted a plan intended to meet the financial situation that has resulted in the closing of the banks. The most important step taken to prevent the closing of additional banks was the creation of a pool to be used for the benefit of banks that are unable to finance themselves.

Another step aimed at bringing additional capital into the State was the approval of State bond issues for the financing of farm loans, and the pledge of the bankers to assist in the sale of such bonds.

O. E. Lofthus, State Bank Examiner, in addressing the Bankers' Conference said that depreciated farm product values was almost wholly responsible for the closing of banks and that more than half of the institutions which have been closed will be reopened.

Dealing with the Bank of North Dakota, the deposits of which are reduced through the adoption by the voters of the State recently of a law doing away with the compulsory deposit of all public funds in the State bank, the bankers pledged their co-operation, to the end that withdrawals that may be made shall be orderly and that the State bank shall not be unnecessarily crippled.

GERMANY FINDS NOTE PLANT

It was Run by Reds, Who, It Is Said, Operate With Forged Money.

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BERLIN, Dec. 7.—Hamburg police have discovered the biggest and technically best equipped note forging factory that has ever been unearthed in Germany. Its headquarters were at the printing office of the Hamburg Communist Arbeiter Zeitung and this lends some support to the belief that extreme Communists have been working with forged notes.

Several arrests were made and that led to the discovery of a second branch of the business not far away. There were several forgers taken red-handed.

Both places were fitted out with the latest machinery. The men arrested are experts and the supplies of materials discovered were very large. Investigations showed, however, that the factory had other branches. One was found on a photographer's premises, while a fourth was discovered in a cellar, where a bank official, a waiter, a compositor and an engineer were at work.

Following the trail still further on to the fourth floor of the house in a flat occupied by a merchant, the police came upon a complete note printing plant.

WINS 15-YEAR SUIT.

G. M. Verity Retains Control of Money Awarded to Mrs. Whiteside.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 7.—Fifteen years of litigation ended here today in the United States Court of Appeals when George M. Verity, President of the American Rolling Mill Company of Middletown, Ohio, won his fight against the efforts of his sister, Mrs. Nannie Wright Verity Whiteside of New York, to obtain control of $30,000 which was awarded to her to drop a suit for alienation of the affections of her husband. As a result, Verity retains $10,000 as his fee for services rendered Mrs. Whiteside and $20,000 remains in a trust fund over which he exercises control.

The Court of Appeals upheld the dismissal of Mrs. Whiteside's suit against her brother rendered by the late United States District Judge Howard C. Hollister.

The outstanding feature of the protracted litigation was the frequent mention of "Madame X," who paid the $30,000. Her name was not disclosed, but it was frequently stated that she was a prominent in New York. It was after Mrs. Whiteside and her husband became reconciled that the former entered suit against Verity.

BIG INDEMNITY IN POULTRY.

Germany Must Deliver 1,740,000 Fowls Within Four Years.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—The Reparation Commission announced today that Germany must deliver to France and Belgium a total of 1,750,000 fowls within four years, 25,165 goats within three years and 15,250 pigs within one year. The German representatives have agreed to this program.

The commission also announced that Germany had almost completed delivery of the live stock advances required under Annex III., Paragraph 1 of the Peace Treaty. Germany has been instructed by the commission to deliver within six months 30,000 horses, 125,000 sheep and 90,000 cattle, including 30,000 cows in calf. The total number of horses, sheep and cattle to be delivered eventually will be fixed later.

The allied demands are considered here to be reasonable but the representatives of the Gormens Government will be heard by the commission again.

CRISIS IN LYNN SHOE TRADE.

Workers to Seek Injunction, Charging Breach of Compact.

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 7.—The alleged employment of non-union operatives by the Tuttle & Jones Company at its small shoe factory and its request of the Manufacturers' Association that it be allowed to resign has developed as apparent crisis in the local shoe industry.

Earl Jacobs, counsel for the United States Shoe Workers of America, announced today that an injunction would be sought against the firm tomorrow on the ground that its employment of non-union men had violated the terms of the peace agreement that governs the industry here, and that if the association accepted the company's resignation suit would be filed against the association also for violation of the provisions of the compact.

Southern Pacific Retrenchment.

Local railroad men were somewhat surprised yesterday when news was received from the West that the Southern Pacific Company was laying off 2,000 men in its mechanical departments. In recent weeks, and as late as yesterday, the heads of two of the other large railroad systems which penetrate Far Western territory asserted that their labor supply had not yet equaled the demand. It has also been asserted officially for both systems that maintenance work which remains to be done through the Winter would take up any slack in the supply of labor.

Five South Carolina Mills Resume.

GREENWOOD, S. C., Dec. 7.—The five cotton mills in Greenwood County are now operating on full time after having curtailed production several weeks. With one exception the plants have day and night shifts.

CALLS PAYMENTS ON SHIPS EXCESSIVE

Witness Testifies Baker Ordered Disregarding of Decisions of Officers' Boards.

TWO TRANSPORTS CITED

Lieutenant Says Steamship Companies Received More Than Amount Judged Equitable by Surveys.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Payments by the War Department to steamship companies for the reconditioning of ships used as transports during the war were in at least two cases greatly in excess of amounts adjudged equitable by boards of officers. Lieutenant Otto Runde Jr., in charge of the legal branch of the Army Transport Service at Hoboken, N. J., testified today before the House War Expenditures Investigating Committee.

Lieutenant Runde, the only witness at the resumption of the inquiry, said the excessive awards were made by Colonel John J. Bradley, Assistant Chief of the Army Transport Service and Port Commander at Hoboken, who had been empowered by Secretary Baker to disregard the decisions of officers' boards and to make final settlements himself. Colonel Bradley will be heard by the committee tomorrow.

The two cases cited by Lieutenant Runde were the transport Kroonland, owned by the International Mercantile Marine Company, and the steamship Manchuria, owned by the Atlantic Transportation Company. When the former was turned back to its owners, he said, the company filed a claim of $655,803 for refitting the ship. A board of survey, composed of army officers, however, recommended payment of $168,320, and a board of review subsequently increased this to $305,960. The owners, according to the witness, said they would refuse less than $550,000, but accepted Colonel Bradley's offer of $457,000 in settlement.

In the case of the Manchuria, according to Lieutenant Runde, the owners sought $1,060,000 for repairs and damages. A board of survey recommended payment of $160,000, but Colonel Bradley settled the claim by authorizing payment of $450,000, according to the witness.

Eight cases involving the return of transports to the owners have been disposed of, Lieutenant Runde said, and thirty more, involving claims for approximately $12,000,000, are awaiting settlement.

SMUGGLING RUBLES TO ITALIAN REDS

Liner America's Wireless Operator Caught at Genoa With Consignment of 300,000.

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MILAN, Dec. 7.—It has been discovered that the crews of transoceanic steamers are carrying on an extensive traffic in cocaine and forbidden coinage. When the liner America put into Genoa today from New York her wireless operator, Pennazzi, was found to be smuggling a consignment of 300,000 rubles, which the authorities believe was brought over for revolutionary purposes. Big stocks of contraband tobacco, coffee and sugar were also seized on the same vessel.

Acting on secret information police searched another Italian liner just as it was weighing anchor at Naples for the United States. About forty pounds of cocaine were found concealed in the first class cabins, and another 300 coining nearly half a million bronze coins in the commander's quarters. Although there were more than 2,000 passengers waiting to sail, the departure of the vessel was delayed for forty-eight hours, as the Captain and crew were arrested and a new chief and crew had to be provided.

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LAGUARDIA WITH HYLAN ON SCHOOL FUND PLAN

Asserts Some Departments Would Cut More Than 7% to Make Up $27,000,000.

F. H. LaGuardia, President of the Board of Aldermen, yesterday defended the plan to make up the $27,000,000 deficiency in the appropriation for the Department of Education by voluntary reductions by the Borough Presidents and heads of city departments, and the transfer of the amounts thus saved to the city's educational fund. He said that the department heads were already at work to determine what savings could be effected, and that some of them had expressed a willingness to cut more than the proposed 7 per cent. to make up for other departments, like the Police and Fire Departments, appropriations for which cannot be cut that much.

Mr. LaGuardia said that Mayor Hylan was pledged to this program and that he was confident that it would be put through in accordance with the promise in the Mayor's letter to the Board of Aldermen, which resulted in that body passing the $345,571,899 budget without change. He admitted that the reductions should have been made by the Board of Estimate before submitting the budget, but said that the voluntary reduction method was the only one which could be adopted at this time.

It was learned that Mr. LaGuardia considers that the city is approaching a financial crisis unless a policy of economy is adopted. With Controller Craig and Mr. Curran taking a position in opposition to the Mayor, Mr. LaGuardia was reported to feel that his co-operation was necessary to prevent chaos in the City Government, and that it was his duty to work with the Mayor as far as possible.

Controller Craig said he had heard no more details of just how the proposed savings were to be effected. He again expressed confidence that the Legislature would provide sufficient money to pay the increase in teachers' salaries by a direct State tax.

PONZI ASSAILS APPRAISERS.

Says They Put Liabilities Too High and Assets $1,000,000 Too Low.

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Charles Ponzi, in a statement tonight, asserted that more than a million dollars, in addition to the estimate of his assets announced by appraisers last night, could be salvaged from the wreck of the 50 per cent. profit plan that has resulted in a five years' sentence for himself and the loss of millions to investors in his scheme. Ponzi also urged his creditors not to choose a Trustee when they meet tomorrow unless he has a chance to talk to them first. He announced that he would attend their meeting.

"These creditors are being swindled out of hundreds of thousands of dollars, which were not listed in my assets by the appraisers in their newspaper reports this morning," Ponzi's statement said. "The total liabilities named by the auditor is open for considerable reduction. I would not accept the appraisers' figures for my assets."

The appraisers estimated Ponzi's liabilities at $6,300,000, including the 50 per cent. interest he promised, and his assets at $1,593,834.12. In addition to these assets Ponzi tonight declared that he could recover $500,000 from commissions paid to his agents; between $250,000 and $300,000 from persons who, when they had obtained one 50 per cent. profit, reinvested capital and interest for succeeding profits, and also $200,000 from other credits.

TWO NEW TREASURY ISSUES

Short-Term Certificates Total Approximately $500,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Treasury tonight offered for subscription two new issues of certificates of indebtedness, the combined issue being approximately $500,000,000.

Both series are to be dated Dec. 15 and one is payable on June 15, bearing interest at 5¾ per cent. and the other is payable on Dec. 15, 1921, with interest at 6 per cent.

The issues, Secretary Houston said, are intended to cover the balance of the heavy maturities coming due this month and next year, as a way to provide for current expenses, which will not be covered by the Dec. 15 installment of excess profits and income taxes.

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Five Per Cent. Increase for Last Five Months Only Awarded by Judge Alschuler.

HAD ASKED $1 A DAY FLAT

Arbitrator, In View of Receding Living Costs, Refuses to Fix Future Higher Wage Rates.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—A 5 per cent. wage increase for the period between Monday, July 5, 1920, and Sunday, Dec. 5, 1920, was granted to employes of the packing and allied industries in a decision handed down today by Federal Judge Samuel Alschuler, arbitrator in packing house wage disputes. The employes had asked a flat increase of $1 a day.

The decision upholds the contention of the packers that the cost of living had fallen to such an extent that increases for the future were not justified, but grants that the employes are entitled to an increase over the amount paid during the last five months.

The retroactive award will give an average of $27.50 to approximately 100,000 men, packing officials estimated, or a total of $2,750,000. Judge Alschuler stipulated that the checks should be distributed not later than Dec. 22. It is expected the decision will be applied to packing house employes in all meat industry centres of the Middle West.

Explaining why the general increase was limited to a five months' period, and not continued into the future, Judge Alschuler's decision says:

"A quite radical decline in living cost appears to me to be now imminent. The prices of those great basic staples which enter so largely into food and clothing values have for quite a number of weeks been declining most sharply, and in some instances even alarmingly—notably wool, hides, cotton, metals, rubber, coffee, corn, wheat and other grains, live stock and vegetables.

"It is true that retail prices have not yet taken the downward course to nearly the same degree, and in some instances not at all. A frequent pretext is the claim of being stocked up with the goods at the higher prices, although in most instances the possession of goods at low prices was no bar, when wholesale prices advanced, to raising at once the goods on hand with a good profit on the advance itself.

"It is no doubt true that the ultimate consumer is still the victim of many unconscionable exactions. Coal prices to the user seem to be ridiculously and inexcusably high, and likewise in many cases, rent. But, notwithstanding all this, the authoritative reports, as well as common experience, seem to indicate a quite progressive recession in cost of living.

"This tendency, in connection with the undoubted slowing of industry generally and the quite general let down of commercial and financial activities, is my mind strongly foreshadows continuing and substantial price declines. Being so convinced, I would not be justified in now fixing for the future higher wage rates based upon past or present increase in living costs."

WINS POINT IN LIBEL SUIT.

Former Congressman Bennet Sues The Globe for Attacking Him.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Former Congressman William S. Bennet of New York won a point in his libel suit against the Commercial Advertiser Association, publishers of The New York Globe, today when the Court of Appeals reversed judgments of the Supreme Court and the Appellate Division which set forth that no cause for libel action had been established.

Mr. Bennet's suit was based on editorials in The Globe charging that while a member of Congress Mr. Bennet caused a joker to be added to the Sundry Civil bill in the interests of a former client. The Globe held that no cause for libel action had been shown and the Appellate Division upheld that decision. The Court of Appeals ruled today that if The Globe's charges are false Mr. Bennet has a ground for action.

MEREDITH ASKS $1,000,000.

Wants It for Co-operation With the States in Forestry Work.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—An appropriation of $1,000,000, to be used in co-operation with the States in forestry work during the next fiscal year, was asked of Congress today by the Department of Agriculture.

Secretary Meredith also asked for legislation which would authorize him to recommend the essential and standard requirements to protect timbered and cut-over lands from fire, in reforesting denuded lands, and, where necessary, to aid in the proper methods of cutting and removing timber for the best promotion of continuous production.

Wants Bureaus Investigated.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Appointment of a joint Congressional committee to investigate Government bureaus and agencies and recommend a plan for their reorganization is proposed in a resolution introduced today by Senator Jones, Republican, Washington.

NEAR ANTHRACITE DEADLOCK

Operators and Miners Again Adjourn Without Agreement.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—After another all-day session the joint Scale Committee of the anthracite operators and mine workers adjourned today without taking any action on the demands of the hard coal miners for additional wage increases.

The operators, it was learned, held a meeting late today to discuss the situation, and will probably make known their attitude toward the miners' demands tomorrow.

While no official statement was issued regarding the discussions at today's conference, it is understood that little progress was made, and the negotiations showed signs of drifting into another deadlock.

The operators are reported to be taking the position that they can only straighten out inequalities within the present agreement. When the agreement was made in the Fall the miners said there were inequalities within the contract, asserting that a number of differentials between the wages of various occupations had either been wiped out or reduced. They had wanted these differentials restored, as well as wage increases in addition to the 17 per cent. awarded by the United States Anthracite Coal Commission.

The miners' leader reiterated tonight that throughout the negotiations the miners have not at any time accompanied their demands or arguments with any ultimatum or threat of strike.

Silk Mill Closes; 3,000 Idle.

PHILLIPSBURG, N. J., Dec. 7.—Notices were posted today at the Standard Silk Mill, the largest mill here, that beginning tomorrow the plant will be closed indefinitely. Market conditions are given as the cause. About 3,000 employes are affected.

Weather in Grain and Cotton States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Forecast:

Ill.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; warmer Thurs. Mich.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; warmer Thurs. and in w. Wed.

Wis., Minn. and N. D.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; not much change in temp.

Iowa.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; warmer Wed.

S. D.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; warmer Wed.

Neb.—Fair Wed., becoming unsettled Thurs.; warmer Thurs.

Kan.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; rising temp. Wed.

Mo.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., except rain or snow W. of Divide; not much change in temp.

Wyo.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs., except rain or snow in extreme w.; warmer Wed.

Col.—Rain in e., rain or snow in w. Wed.; colder; Thurs. fair.

N. M.—Rain, colder, probably followed by clearing Wed.; Thurs. fair.

Ariz.—Rain in e., cloudy in w. Wed., colder; Thurs. fair.

Pla.—Generally fair, cooler Wed.; Thurs. fair.

Extreme N. W. Fla., Ala. and Miss.—Fair, continued cool Wed.; Thurs. fair, slightly warmer.

Ohio—Cloudy Wed.; Thurs. fair; not much change in temp.

Ky.—Fair, cloudy Wed.; Thurs. fair, slightly warmer.

Lower Mich.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; somewhat warmer Thurs.

Upper Mich.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; warmer Thurs.

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FINANCIAL NOTICES.

Peoria, Illinois, December 2nd, 1920.

TO THE HOLDERS OF

Peoria & Pekin Union Railway Company

FIRST MORTGAGE 6s and SECOND MORTGAGE 4½s

DUE FEBRUARY 1ST, 1921.

The Company, under prevailing conditions not being in funds to meet the above bonds at maturity therefor, offer to extend both issues for a period of five years and to increase interest thereon to 7% per annum. For the purpose of accepting this extension the bondholders are requested to deposit their bonds on or before DECEMBER 20TH, 1920, with the CENTRAL UNION TRUST COMPANY, 80 Broadway, so that the extension contract and new coupon sheet may be attached thereto, after which the bonds will be returned without expense to the holder. The Depositary will issue the customary receipt until the bonds are ready for delivery.

The coupon due February 1st, 1921, will be paid by the Company as usual and should be detached from the bonds before same are deposited.

Application has been made to the Interstate Commerce Commission under Section 20 A for authority to extend said bonds.

Copies of extension contract, etc., may be obtained from the Central Union Trust Company of New York or from the Company.

PEORIA & PEKIN UNION RAILWAY COMPANY.
H. K. PINKNEY, President.

GREAT FALLS POWER COMPANY

First Mortgage, dated May 1, 1911.

Bankers Trust Company as Trustee under the above Mortgage gives notice that it will receive at its Trust Department, No. 16 Wall Street, New York City, up to 3 o'clock P. M. on December 15, 1920, sealed proposals for the sale to it, at a price not exceeding 107½% and accrued interest, of sufficient bonds secured by said Mortgage to exhaust as nearly as practicable the amount of $148,701.06. Such proposals should be made in sealed envelopes and must reach the said Trustee not later than 3 o'clock P. M. on December 15, 1920. The face purchase of bonds will be mailed on December 16, 1920, and the bonds so purchased should be delivered to the Trustee before the close of business December 23, 1920, on which date interest thereon will cease. In case more bonds are offered at the same price than the Trustee can purchase, it will be determined by lot which bonds shall be taken. The right is reserved to reject any proposals in whole or in part.

Dated at New York this 17th day of November, 1920.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY
By H. F. Wilson, Jr., Vice-President.

To the Holders of 7% Five Year Convertible Secured Gold Notes, Series "A" of the LIBERTY OIL COMPANY, INC.

The undersigned, as Trustee under Indenture dated July 1, 1919, securing the above notes, hereby invites proposals for the sale to it, as such Trustee, of notes of said Series in an amount sufficient to exhaust as nearly as may be the sum of $11,457.57 now in its hands for account of the Sinking Fund provided by said Indenture. All offers must be for all or any part of the notes offered, must state the price at which the same are offered, not exceeding, however, 110% of the principal thereof, and must be received at the Corporate Trust Department of the undersigned at or before 2 o'clock P. M. on December 22, 1920. Notification of offers accepted will be mailed on or before December 23, 1920, and will call for delivery to the undersigned, at its Corporate Trust Department, in New York City, on or before December 31, 1920, of January 1, 1921, with April 1, 1921, and subsequently maturing coupons attached.

Dated at New York this 24th day of November, 1920.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY,
By H. F. WILSON, JR., Trustee.
Vice President.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE CORN EXCHANGE BANK OF NEW YORK:

A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of The Corn Exchange Bank having been requested by at least twenty stockholders holding an aggregate of at least one-fourth of the existing shares of this association, notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Corn Exchange Bank, New York City, will be held at the Banking House, 12 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, December 17th, 1920, at 12 o'clock, Noon.

At said meeting a proposition will be submitted and vote taken to increase the Capital Stock of said bank from Six Million dollars ($6,000,000) to Seven Million Five Hundred Thousand dollars by the issue of 7,500 additional shares of $100 each, to be offered to stockholders at par in proportion to the stock already held by them.

WALTER E. FREW, President.
EDWARD B. MALMAR, Cashier, acting as Secretary.
November 20, 1920.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the stockholders of COLT-STRATTON COMPANY, INC., will be held at the general offices of the company, 1,847 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Wednesday, December 22, 1920, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to change the present name of the corporation to that of COLT-STRATTON COMPANY, INC., to STRATTON-ELLIS COMPANY, INC., and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

HARRY L. STRATTON,
President.
THEODORE H. BRIDGMAN,
Secretary.
New York City, December 7, 1920.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Colored Orphan Asylum and Association for the Benefit of Colored Children in the City of New York will be held Monday, morning, December 13, 1920, at 11 o'clock, at 128 East 76th St., New York City.

Mrs. ROBERT HILTON MACLEAN,
Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

BRONX EXPOSITION, INC.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bronx Exposition, Inc., will be held at the office of the Company on the Exposition Grounds, East 177th Street and Bronx River, City of New York, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of December, 1920, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, including amending and voting upon the approval and ratification of all contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting of the Stockholders, as set forth in the minutes of the Board of Directors and of said Committee.

Dated New York, November 18th, 1920.

CLARENCE H. MACKAY, President.
EDWARD H. MOUNT, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of Stockholders of George W. Goethals & Co., Inc., will be held at the office of the said Corporation, No. 40 Wall Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at twelve o'clock noon on the 11th day of December, 1920, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated New York City, December 1, 1920.

GEO. W. GRAHAM, Vice President.
JAMES H. ANDERSON, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of Directors, to consider amending the Articles of Association so as to increase the authorized number of Directors, and to act upon any other matters which may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, No. 57 Broadway, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1921, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILLIAM F. HOLLY, Cashier.

DIVIDENDS.

JAMES H. DUNHAM & CO.
240 Broadway, New York.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day at the office of the Company, the regular quarterly dividend was declared of one and one-half (1½%) per cent. upon the first preferred stock of the Company, and of one and one-quarter (1¼%) per cent. upon the Second Preferred Stock of the Company, and of one and one-half (1½%) per cent. upon the Common Stock of the Company, payable January 1, 1921 to the Stockholders of record at the close of business December 15, 1920.

The Transfer Books will be closed December 15, 1920, at the close of business on that date, and reopen January 4, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM P. DOUGLAS,
December 7, 1920. Secretary.

LACKAWANNA STEEL COMPANY.
NOTICE OF
DIVIDEND ON COMMON STOCK.

The Board of Directors of Lackawanna Steel Company, at a meeting held November 24th, 1920, declared out of surplus net earnings a quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. (1½%) on the outstanding Common Stock of this Company, payable December 31st, 1920, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 15, 1920.

Checks will be mailed.

J. P. HIGGINSON, Treasurer.
November 24, 1920.

THE DELION TIRE & RUBBER CO.

A regular quarterly dividend of 2% on the Preferred stock has been declared payable Jan. 1, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 24th, 1920.

BALTIMORE, MD., Dec. 4, 1920.
W. H. PRICE JR., Treasurer.

CONTINENTAL CAN CO., INC.

A quarterly dividend of one and one-quarters per cent. on the preferred stock of this Company has been declared, payable January 1, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 23, 1920. Stock transfer books will not close. A dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. on the common stock of this Company has been declared, payable January 1, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 30, 1920. Books will not close.

F. E. ASSMANN, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF
THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT CO.,
N. W. COR. BROAD & ARCH STREETS.
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 2, 1920.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 1¾% (87½c per share) on the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable Dec. 15, 1920, to holders of Preferred Stock of record at the close of business Nov. 30, 1920. Checks will be mailed.

I. W. MORRIS, Treasurer.

THE ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERY CO.
Allegheny Avenue & 19th Street,
Philadelphia, November 1, 1920.

The Directors have declared a quarterly dividend of three dollars ($3.00) per share from the surplus earnings of the year on both Common and Preferred Stocks, payable January 2, 1921, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 15, 1920. Checks will be mailed.

WALTER G. HENDERSON, Treasurer.

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LATEST DEALINGS IN REALTY FIELD

Investor Buys Property in West Thirty-fourth Street Adjoining Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Plot.

TWO BIG SALES ADJOURNED

Property of New York City Railways Company Will Not Be Disposed Of Until Feb. 2.

The four-story building at 262 West Thirty-fourth Street, lot 14.6 by 98.9, just east of Eighth Avenue, has been sold for the City Real Estate Company through F. & G. Pflomm to Leo Kahn for investment. The property is near the Thirty-fourth Street entrance to the Pennsylvania Station and is separated by one plot from the Chelsea Exchange Bank Building at 266 West Thirty-fourth Street.

Two Auction Sales Adjourned.

The auction sale of the real estate and car barn properties of the New York Railways Company, which was scheduled to be sold at auction yesterday on the steps of the New York County Court House by Joseph P. Day, has been adjourned to Feb. 2, 1921.

The auction offering of the realty and personalty of the late "Big Tim" Sullivan, originally scheduled for Nov. 23 by Auctioneer Henry Brady and adjourned till yesterday by order of Justice Giegerich, was again adjourned till Jan. 11.

Tenement Investments.

The five-story tenement house at 222 East Ninety-ninth Street, on lot 25 by 100 feet, has been purchased by Abraham Saffir from Leopold Weiss. It was held at $25,000. Louis Block was the broker.

The four-story tenement at 2,292 First Avenue, 18.10 by 75, has been purchased by Joseph Di Matteo from the Aora Realty Company.

The Kellner Realty Company sold to Rose Applebome the four-story tenement at 159 Avenue C, southwest corner of Tenth Street, two five-story tenements, 23.3 by 88.

Caroline T. Kissel sold to the Derbin Holding Company the five-story tenement at 93 Ridge Street, 30 by 50.7, for $9,230.

The six-story flat at 9 and 11 East 107th Street, 40 by 100, has been purchased by Solomon Brenner from Joseph Srotskey.

Synagogue Buys in Harlem.

The Halleran Agency sold for the Monoboro Corporation of Flushing the four-story flat at 222 East 103d Street, to the Congregation of Asharath Israel of Harlem. The property has been purchased for synagogue purposes and is to be remodeled for a synagogue in the near future.

Bronx Borough Sales.

The two-family house at 3,321 Perry Avenue, lot 25 by 100, has been sold by Armstrong Brothers for J. Hanlon to J. Scott. It was held at $12,000.

The building with garage at 1,035 and 1,037 Stebbins Avenue has been purchased by J. Gelburd from Arthur Weyl & Co.

Simon R. Gregman purchased a plot $15.2 by 116.10 on the west side of Third Avenue, 316 feet north of 174th Street, from the Bond and Mortgage Company.

The vacant plot, 41.9 by 103.4, at the northeast corner of Grant Avenue and 165th Street has been purchased by Isadore Benenson from Samuel Rubin.

Brooklyn Activity.

Abraham Saffir has sold for E. B. Strong to a client for occupancy the three-story dwelling at 410 Jefferson Avenue on lot 18 by 100, held at $10,000.

The B. F. Knowles Company sold 73 Keap Street, a two and a half story dwelling, for a client to M. Levy.

William P. Jones and Frederick B. Holter sold for Edward Wilson to Salvatore Tomasino the four lots, each 20 by 100, on the south side of Sixty-eighth Street, 318 feet east of Eighteenth Avenue.

$500,000 Post Office Building.

Plans were filed yesterday with the Manhattan Bureau of Buildings for the construction of an eight-story fireproof building at 34 to 50 Varick Street and 6 St. John's Lane, to be used as a Post Office. It will have a frontage of 220.5 feet on each street and a depth of 140 feet. Larremore V. V. Sweezy, the architect, has estimated the cost at $800,000. The Ultra Realty Company is the owner of record.

Commercial Leases.

The Manson-Jacobs Company has completed the renting of the six-story loft building under construction at 160-167 West Twenty-sixth Street to ten manufacturers in the garment trade for a term of years. The rentals aggregate $212,000.

Huberth & Huberth, in connection with Louis H. May & Co., leased the store at 211 West Fifty-eighth Street to the Motor Hearse Corporation of America.

Pease & Elliman leased the easterly store and second floor at 21 and 23 West Thirty-fourth Street for the K. & P. Stores, Inc., to B. Ratkowsky, furrier, for a term of years at an aggregate rental of $150,000.

J. K. Moors leased the store at 337 West Fifty-seventh Street to the Abeles-Lewit Company.

The Brown, Wheelock Company, Inc., leased for the 63 Wall Street Corporation for a term of years the second floor of 63 Wall Street, part of which is occupied by the Merchants Bank of Canada, which intends to move on May 1, 1921, to 38 Wall Street, the property it purchased from Post & Flagg. The new tenant is the Credito Italiano of Italy, which is represented in this country by Felice Bava, and the floor will be occupied by them as banking offices.

Frederic H. Allen of Frederick Zittel & Sons leased for the Iona Home Construction Company 121 West Seventy-ninth Street, a five-story house, altered into 3 apartments, for ten years at an aggregate rental of $110,000.

Realty Notes.

The 751 Greene Street Corporation, which recently purchased the six-story loft building at that address, has acquired title to the adjoining similar building at 47 and 49.

The Golconda Realty Company, the buyer of the six-story apartment house at the northwest corner of St. Nicholas Avenue and 146th Street, has transferred the property to Henry J. Abrahamse. The company paid $165,000 for the realty.

The Long Island Real Estate Board will meet today at the Café Boulevard to discuss board appraisals.

To Canvass Soldier Vote; 861 Cast.

The soldier vote cast at the last election will be canvassed on Tuesday next by the Boards of Canvassers in the various boroughs, it was announced yesterday by Commissioner John R. Voorhis of the Board of Elections. The ballot boxes were opened at the Board of Elections and the ballots sent to the various borough officers of the board, where they will be distributed to the election districts. There were 861 soldier ballots cast, of which 325 were in Manhattan, 89 in the Bronx, 326 in Brooklyn, 95 in Queens and 24 in Richmond.

CAN'T SELL ARMORY SITE.

Commission Makes Two Attempts to Dispose of Seventh Avenue Plot.

The Armory Commission is finding it difficult to dispose of the old New York State Arsenal property, on the northeast corner of Thirty-fifth Street and Seventh Avenue. Several weeks ago the commission, after an extensive advertising campaign, sought to dispose of the property on sealed bids, but no offers were made. A second attempt was made with open bids, the bidding to close at 4 P. M. Monday, but no offers were made.

The property is considered by real estate men as one of the most attractive parcels between the Pennsylvania Station and Times Square. It has a frontage of 98.9 feet on Seventh Avenue and 208.4 feet on Thirty-fifth Street.

Present mortgage conditions are blamed for the failure to dispose of the property. The terms of sale called for all cash. The commission will now endeavor to sell the property at private sale.

TO REMODEL HOSPITAL AT JOHNS HOPKINS

Proposed Reconstruction to Be Estimated to Cost Between $11,000,000 and $12,000,000.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—Johns Hopkins Hospital, one of the largest institutions of its kind and closely connected with Johns Hopkins University is to be reconstructed on the most improved plan. All the old buildings will be reconstructed. The cost of the improvement, with provision for endowment, will be between $11,000,000 and $12,000,000. The old pathological building was burned last Winter. The new one will cost $680,000.

The money for reconstruction of the hospital group and for the increase in the institution's endowment will have to come from men and women of large means. The campaign by which it will be raised will not be a money-raising campaign in the ordinary sense. The authorities are sending out to men and women of means, who are known to be interested in the alleviation of the sufferings of humanity, a simple statement of the hospital's needs, and what it must have if it is to continue the work it has done so successfully since it was opened thirty years ago. Construction of a woman's clinic to cost $400,000 and to provide for obstetrical and gynecological patients will be begun next year.

The plan for distribution for the money required follows:

Out-patient or dispensary building, to provide for one of the greatest needs of the hospital, $1,714,000.

Endowment for dispensary, $1,000,000.

Extension of heating and power plant, or new plant, as needed, $100,000 to $500,000.

Addition to nurses' home to provide adequate living accommodations, social and class rooms, $500,000.

Teaching building for school of nurses, $250,000.

Endowment for school of nurses, $750,000.

Convalescent branch, $250,000; endowment, $500,000; total, $750,000.

Medical clinic for men and women suffering from general medical, nervous and skin diseases, modeled on the lines of the women's clinic, $500,000; with endowment for medical clinic, $1,500,000; total, $2,000,000.

Addition to service building to provide dining rooms, sleeping rooms and kitchen accommodations, $200,000.

RUMELY TELLS OF FAILURES

Reveals Losses of Evening Mail as Witness in His Own Behalf.

Testifying yesterday in his own defense, Dr. Edward A. Rumely, charged with failure to report the alleged German ownership of The Evening Mail, told of the struggles he had to induce prominent men to buy stock in the paper. He told of conferences with Dr. Heinrich Albert, the German fiscal agent, and of the $750,000 lent to him by Herman Stelcken.

Walter Lyons, a banker, the witness said, was the go-between in the purchase of the paper. Final negotiations were made by Henry L. Stoddard, then owner of The Mail. On several occasions Dr. Albert had disapproved of the editorial policy of the paper, and friction grew up between the witness and Dr. Albert.

Dr. Rumely described his struggles against failure and his attempts to induce the late George W. Perkins and Charles Nagel, Secretary of Commerce and Labor under President Taft, and a trustee of the estate of Adolphus Busch, to buy stock in the S. S. McClure Newspaper Corporation, which controlled The Mail. Both refused, but both lent him money later on to meet pressing obligations.

Dr. Rumely testified that the newspaper lost more than $480,000 between 1915 and the middle of September, 1917. The trial will be resumed today.

WARS ON AUTO SPOONERS.

Magistrate House Censures Inspiration Point Practice—Fines Six.

Inspiration Point, at Riverside Drive and 190th Street, no longer is to be a mecca for automobile "spooners" and "an evil against which decent people have long protested" if Magistrate House is to have his way. The Magistrate, in Traffic Court yesterday, went on the warpath against the practice of parking cars there with lights out, found a half dozen defendants guilty and fined them $10 with one day in jail, and warned that hereafter those charged with a similar offense if found guilty must spend ten days in jail. Magistrate House said if ten-day sentences did not break up the practice he would try longer ones.

At the same time he announced that hereafter persons found guilty of driving their cars more than thirty-four miles an hour could confidently expect jail sentences.

BIG ICEBERG SIGHTED.

Rises Like Spire of a Cathedral 180 Feet Above the Atlantic.

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—An iceberg that towered 180 feet above the sea and resembled a cathedral spire was sighted off Cape Race in the westbound transatlantic steamer lane by the Swedish steamer Gustavsholm, which reached port here from Rotterdam today. The berg was said by officers of the ship to be fully half a mile long. In its wake was a smaller mountain of ice.

The companion bergs had apparently been sighted by other vessels as three wireless reports of their presence were made within a few hours.

Hydrographic officials at this port calculated today that, as the known proportion of icebergs above water is one in nine, the berg probably was 1,440 feet under water and 1,620 feet from the bottom to the tip.

$30,000 to Malbone Tunnel Victim.

Miss Marie Castellani of 2,764 Haring Street, Sheepshead Bay, who was injured in the Malbone Street tunnel disaster on Nov. 1, 1918, obtained an award of $30,000 damages by a jury before Justice Isaac M. Kapper in the Brooklyn Supreme Court. The verdict is directed against the New York Consolidated Railroad. To Victor Castellani, father of the girl, $9,000 was awarded for medical expenses and the loss of her services.

Sioux Falls Press in New Hands.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 7.—Sale of The Sioux Falls Press by Willis C. Cook to George W. Egan of this city was announced in to-day's edition.

PRIVATE HOME MARKET.

Julian A. Ripley Sells $110,000 Residence on East Side.

Considerable activity was shown in the private dwelling market yesterday. Most important of the various sales was that of the fine five-and-a-half-story residence at 45 East Fifty-first Street, on a plot 22 by 100.5 feet, which was sold through Douglas L. Elliman & Co. for Julian A. Ripley. The buyer will occupy the house. It was held at $110,000.

The three-story dwelling at 309 West 152d Avenue, 20 by 80 feet, between 102d and 103d Streets, has been sold by Alfred C. Dodman.

James H. Cruikshank has resold to William L. Haynes 2,048 Madison Avenue, a three-story dwelling on lot 16.4 by 75. Joseph Waterman was the broker.

The three-story house at 6 Grove Court has been sold for the Alentaur Realty Corporation through Pepe & Brother. The same brokers recently sold the similar dwellings at 1 to 5 Grove Court. The buyers are Alexander C. Proudfit, Cornelis L. Swinerton and Elizabeth E. Dunlap.

Auguste M. Thiery sold to Marie Morrison the three-story dwelling, 18.9 by 102.2, at 150 East Seventy-eighth Street.

The Antillean Beneficial League of America purchased 30 West 129th Street, a three-story dwelling, 21.6 by 99.11.

The three-story dwelling, 17.5 by 99.11, at 70 East 129th Street, has been sold by Elizabeth A. Brady to Thomas M. Healy.

LONDON ESTATES SELL.

The Brown, Wheelock Company, Inc., sold 377 West Broadway, running through to 63 Wooster Street, a five-story loft building on a lot 27.6 by 200, for the Hon. Mrs. Henry Coventry of London, England, to the United States Trust Company. The buyer holds title to the adjoining property, 275 West Broadway, running through to 61 Wooster Street.

Ryan & Co. have sold for the Centre estate of London, England, to a client of F. William Sohns 33 Morningside Avenue, East, a five-story flat on lot 25 by 100. It was held at $35,000. Innes & Center represented the sellers.

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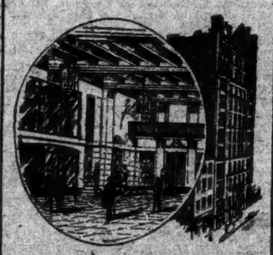
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45TH, 341 WEST—New elevator building; cleanliness; furnishings unequaled; 1-2-3 rooms, tiled bath, tiled kitchens; kitchenettes; inquisitorious applicants; highest references essential; $20-$125 up monthly. Longacre 8560.

57TH, 150 WEST—Beautifully furnished two rooms, bath; private apartment; open fireplace; ideal for bachelors. Boyle.

47TH, 135 WEST—To sublet, two rooms, bath; special rates for the balance of season. Mr. Sanborn, Hotel Flanders.

41TH, 34 WEST—Living room with alcove, kitchenette, bedroom; $2,200 year. Plaza 5185.

47TH ST., 121 WEST—Two rooms, kitchenette and bath; $25 a week. Kline.

47TH ST., 132 WEST—Desirable suites, 2 or more rooms, bath; reasonable.

49TH ST., 126 WEST.
Newly refurnished, attractive apartment, six rooms and bath, kitchen, steam heat, electric light, $1,500. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

50TH ST., 21 WEST—Apartment, furnished, living room, bedroom, bath; $180 month; lease; references. Telephone Rippe, 8187 Circle.

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50TH ST., 28 WEST—Attractive modern two rooms, kitchenette, bath. Call Wednesday or Thursday.

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52D ST., 228 WEST, COR. BROADWAY.
High-class elevator apartments, newly furnished; hotel service.
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52D ST., 58 WEST — Bachelors' quarters, parlor, 2 chambers, bath, pantry; parlor, bath, pantry, 2 rooms; 3 and 4 rooms, bath, telephone; new. Chamberlain.

52D, 29 WEST—Handsomely furnished small apartments, steam; extension telephone; maid service.

54TH, 33 WEST (Near 5th Av.)—Attractive 3 rooms, bath, kitchenette; large closets; redecorated; private; furnished; fireplaces; entire floor; open for inspection; lease, $150. Phone Hanover 6893.

54TH ST. (At Broadway)—Hotel Albemarle; parlor, bedroom and bath; reasonable rates.

55TH, 19 WEST—Furnished or unfurnished parlor, bedroom, bath; excellent; hotel service; yearly lease. Hotel Devon Annex.

55TH, 136 WEST—2 rooms, bath, kitchenette especially desirable for bachelors. Kent.

55TH, 103 WEST—Large living room, bed room, bath, kitchenette. Phone Circle 278.

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57TH ST., 140 WEST—Beautifully furnished apartment, 4 rooms, 2 baths, kitchen. Dillenback.

58TH, 21 WEST.
NEAR PLAZA HOTEL.
Beautiful parlor, bedroom and bath apartment; wide front windows facing lovely 58th St.; large closets; tiled baths; tiled bath, kitchenette, maid, valet and telephone service; restaurant in building. Telephone Plaza 6880. Ask for Mrs. Prescott's apartment.

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58TH—Seven rooms, two baths, handsomely furnished, $275. Elberson, 25 West 42d.

60TH, 88 WEST—Three rooms, bath, kitchenette; also sublet apartment for Winter; $300 month. Riehl.

61ST ST., 10 WEST (The Pasadena, corner 5th Av.)—Two rooms, bath, kitchenette, $150. Inquire Superintendent or Bryant 2652.

60TH, 18 EAST—Double room, bath; 2 rooms; any size suite; sublet 3 large rooms; $300. Jacinto Hotel.

64TH, EAST—An elegant one large room and bath apartment in exclusive neighborhood of 5th Av.; possession immediately; rent $125 a month; bachelor preferred. E 539 Times.

83D, 171 EAST—Six outside rooms; elevator, electricity, open fireplace, southern exposure; big bargain, $150. Irving Bonos, 4062.

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East Side.

307E (corner Lexington Av., 102)—Room with board, $18 weekly up; good home cooking, hotel service, elevator, telephone; for women exclusively. Hotel Rutledge.

LEXINGTON AV., 241—Boarders wanted; single rooms; home cooking.

West Side.

241W, 69 WEST—Large room with board; references.

257W, 351 WEST—Large rooms, piano, private bath; French table; electricity, telephone.

297W, 44 WEST—Beautiful back parlor suite, other rooms; steam; table unexcelled.

72D, 260 WEST—Double room with bath; business gentlemen; excellent table.

131W, 511 WEST—
Rooms with or without private bath; refined small boarding house; references.

132D, 38 WEST—Double room, private bath; exceptional food; accommodations.

175TH, 9 WEST—Accommodation for 3 young ladies willing to share elegant large room, bath; private boarding house.

207TH ST., 143 WEST—Medium sized room, table board; references.

221W, 5 WEST—Newly furnished room, every convenience; excellent cuisine. Jas.

235D ST., 307 WEST—Large and single rooms, southern exposure; well-appointed house.

102D, 247 WEST—Large front room, adjoining bathroom, in high class Jewish house. Riverside 6813.

103D, 112 WEST—Large front room, suitable couple; board optional; electricity. Hoffman.

132D, 261 WEST (cor. Broadway)—Large, well furnished room, electricity, running water; 2d floor; Southern home table.

183D, 230 WEST—Front parlor apartment, private; continuous hot water; home cook-ing; 2 doors Broadway. Facing Marseilles Hotel.

106TH, 320 WEST—Private hotel; beautiful room, also suite with private bath; Austrian cuisine; only permanent guest considered.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

West Side.

102TH, 242 WEST—Two-room suite with private bath; comfortably furnished.

101ST, 320 WEST—Sunny combination bedroom, living room in homelike apartment for married couple; housekeeping. Inquire elevator attendants.

102D, 316 WEST (Riverside)—Spacious rooms, mahogany twin beds, Oriental rugs; single, en suite, furnished, unfurnished; bachelors, couples.

102D, 235 WEST (Broadway)—Attractive room; private; elevator; business people, $27.

102D ST., 336 WEST—Single room, private family; electricity and steam heat.

103D, 13 WEST—Parlor, connecting bedroom, suitable for two; telephone, electricity. Cass.

104TH, 56 WEST—Attractive front double room, adjoining bath. Sloop.

106TH, WEST—Light, warm, attractive room, all modern conveniences. Academy 1125.

106TH, 201 WEST (Apt. 5D)—Elegant large, also small room; gentlemen; reasonable.

107TH, 324 WEST (corner Riverside)—Large, nicely furnished room, electricity, steam; reasonable.

107TH, 302 WEST—Room, adjoining bath; elevator; gentleman; no other roomers. Thorn 7057.

109TH ST. (200 Manhattan Av.)—Nicely furnished room, light and airy; private family; lady preferred. Apt. 72.

110TH, 309 WEST—Dealrable, sunny front room; southern exposure. Apt. 10B.

111TH, 509 WEST—Warm, attractive room, with or without board; gentleman or business couple preferred; elevator; Apt. 33.

112TH ST., 200 WEST—Two connecting front rooms, modern improvements. Apt. 2B.

116TH, 706 WEST (Apt. 1G)—Single or double, with Christians. Wadsworth 4238.

118TH (near 7th Av.)—Large, sunny; private family; telephone; apartment; gentleman; references. B 182 Times.

118TH, 501 WEST—Beautifully furnished, large room, electricity, refined location; $10. Tlmone.

119TH, 210 WEST—HOTEL CECIL. ATTRACTIVE ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT PRIVATE BATHS. SPECIAL WEEKLY RATES; FULL HOTEL SERVICE; OUR RADIATORS ARE HOT, OUR WATER IS HOT, OUR LINEN IS NEW AND CLEAN. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

119TH—Attractive room; lady; Columbia, near Drive, subway; steam; $8. Morningside 973.

118TH, 419 WEST—Single room, running water; very desirable; court. Apt. 32.

117TH, 149 WEST—Single, double and connecting rooms; private bath, conveniences.

122D ST., 502 WEST (Apt. 34)—Two single connecting rooms; elevator and electric lights; business women; reference.

122D, 824 WEST—Very desirable room, private family; gentleman only. Apt. 4D.

124TH ST., 512 WEST, Apartment 2C—Furnished rooms, suite; elevator, electric light, telephone, baths; kitchen privileges. Mrs. Parker.

124TH ST., 2,013 5th Av.—Comfortable room, adjoining bath; gentleman; private American family. Call after 5, Apartment 15.

125D ST., 513 WEST—Bright front room in refined family; home comforts; gentlemen; elevator. Phone Audubon 9470.

125TH ST., 535 WEST (Broadway)—Elevator; southern exposure; large, comfortably furnished; kitchen privileges; couple, gentlemen; references. Apartment 2A.

125TH ST., 539 WEST (Apt. 13)—Comfortable heated room, adjoining bath; gentleman; reasonable.

126D, 585 WEST (Broadway)—Large front room; improvements; elevator, bath, shower; subway, buses; $10; single. Apt. 21. Cathedral.

126TH ST., 601 WEST (Apt. 21)—Front room, adjoining bath; no other roomers; Japanese preferred.

127TH—Large, warm, finely furnished, overlooking Hudson; private lavatory; unusual. Wadsworth 6812.

AMSTERDAM AV., 1,256—Inquire for three large, sunny rooms; kitchen privileges; $135.

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 325 (85d)—Two beautiful rooms, overlooking Park; desirable room, running water, adjoining bath; elevator. Davis.

CLAREMONT AV., 190 (Apt. 5)—Connecting rooms, twin beds; piano; kitchen privileges.

CONVENT AV., 535 (143d St.)—Comfortable single rooms; private residence; Christian family; convenient subway, bus, "L"; business people.

COZY, homelike room, adjoining bath; private family (two), refined surroundings; first-class elevator house; gentleman, couple. Wadsworth 9236, Apt. 33, 9 to 12, 6:30 to 8.

FORT WASHINGTON AV., 35 (Apt. 6A)—Sunny front room; elevator; reasonable.

GREENWICH VILLAGE—Will rent room to woman. Write W 9 Greenwich Av.

HAMILTON PLACE, 57 (corner 141st St., near Broadway)—Large, pleasant room, southern exposure; elevator; every convenience. Apt. 4E.

HOTEL BRADDOCK.

125th St. and 7th Av.—Single rooms $2.4 day; double rooms $3 & day; single room with bath $3 & day; single room by the week, $9 up.

JAPANESE—Beautiful sunny room; block subway; view; good neighborhood; breakfast. See Nippon Club Bulletin. Y 2074 Times Annex.

MANHATTAN AV., 182—Comfortable furnished front room; suitable for two; telephone.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, overlooking park—Large, bright, comfortable, well furnished room, twin beds, running water. Parthenon phone Morningside 2656.

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, 100—Room, bachelor apartment; also room, private family, business woman.

PRIVATE family, west side, offer gentleman nicely furnished outside room, steam, electricity, shower; moderate. Morningside 3060, Extension 32.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Magnificent room, adjoining bath; modern fireproof elevator apartment; sunshine, home comforts, refinement; $30 weekly. 175 monthly. Tel. Schuyler 944, from 10 to 2.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE (145th St.)—Large, handsomely furnished room, overlooking Drive, adjacent to bathroom. Phone Audubon 5628, Apt. 6C.

RIVERSIDE, 322 (95th)—Light, single, double suite; newly decorated. Wentworth, Riverside 6586.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 323—Delightful suite, facing Hudson; single with private bath. Hale.

RIVERSIDE, 181 (87th)—Attractive single and double rooms, newly decorated; elevator; references.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 558 (124th)—Warm outside room, southern exposure; references. Apt. 17.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 75—Large front room, running water.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 323, (94th)—Luxurious large suite, private bath. Apartment 6E.

ST. NICHOLAS AV., 670 (Apt. 1C)—Room, conveniences, private; evenings; gentleman.

SUBLET, front room, fireplace, running water, bath. Telephone Chelsea 9945.

SUNNY, attractive suite; lavatory, shower; large single room. Phone Keller, Morningside 3073.

WEST END AV., 481 (Cor. 82d St., Schuyler 3760)—Two comfortable sunlit rooms with breakfasts; private family; by appointment.

WEST END, 418 (79th)—Attractively furnished room; quiet; running water; private family; elevator. Apt. 8-B.

WEST END AV., 500 (84th)—Exceptionally fine, two-room suite; very nicely furnished; fine piano; electricity.

West Side.

421ST, 414 WEST—Large, warm rooms, board; near Columbia College. Apt. 2.

ATTRACTIVE room with board for business woman; 320 Cabrini; 79th, Apt. 1B.

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REFINED Christian lady with own child will take full charge of little girl; nourishing meals, education, lovely home included; $25 weekly; charming environment; room for business parents. F 440 Times.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE—Private family; room facing street, two windows; running water; board $25; American gentleman. Telephone Morningside 7324.

WEST END AV., 732 (96th St.)—Bright front room, suitable two (or suite); table guests; references; French spoken.

WEST END AV., 440 (81st St.)—Unusual proposition; formerly officers' club; congeniality; table unexcelled.

Brooklyn.

CLINTON AV., 190—Large front room with high-class board in handsome home on best residential street; excellent transit facilities. Phone Prospect 4283.

BOARD WANTED.

YOUNG married Jewish couple and child, desire board with refined, private family; interested in two rooms, if available, otherwise one room for two. S 147 Times.

COUNTRY BOARD.

GREENWICH INN LODGE (Sound Beach, Conn.)—Sunny steam heated rooms, with or without baths; excellent menu; 65 minutes from New York; golf, saddle horses, fishing; reasonable rates.

CHILD wanted to board in private home of refinement. E 342 Times.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

West Side.

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Brooklyn.

66 CRANBERRY ST. (Brooklyn, N. Y.)—Beautiful large room, twin beds; running water.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS, 512 West Fordham Road—2 or 3 furnished or unfurnished rooms, up-to-date apartment; very cheerful, with bath; reasonable; home surroundings. 3037R Fordham. Leache.

207TH, 60 WEST—Large front room, running water, steam heat, electricity; parquet floors; owner's house; references.

175TH, 24 WEST—Large front studio, dressing room; electricity, hot water.

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YOUNG business man (Hebrew) wants furnished room with private bath or running water; good light, in modern house below 90th St., either with private American family or will share apartment with young gentleman; would like home and willing to pay well for the accommodations of light breakfast, occasional evening meal, care of laundry, wardrobe and petty errands; good references furnished. A 389 Times.

HOUSEKEEPER—Young couple wish room with kitchen privilege in return for wife's assistance in child's home; husband employed downtown; best references. B 272 Times.

BUSINESS MAN wants room with running water, near bath; private house only; west side, 70th to 100th St.; $40-$50 monthly. Y 2073 Times Annex.

LARGE front or two small rooms in elevator apartment or hotel, west side; breakfast preferred; two people. Write particulars Room 607, Columbus Circle.

YOUNG business man, Jewish, wishes nicely furnished room between 24th St. and 40th St., East; references exchanged. Legoll's Drug Store, 400 3d Av.

REFINED business lady desires comfortable room, kitchen privilege, west side, near subway; reasonable; state price. H 116 Times.

FOR young French gentleman; modern conveniences; unquestionable quiet and refined surroundings; 4 years last residence. M 67 Times.

LADY wants room, west, between 110th and 80th Sts., near Broadway; phone; $5-$6 weekly. B 274 Times.

BACHELOR, refined, wants private room and bath; quiet; west side preferred; state terms; telephone. A 347 Times.

YOUNG LADY wants room, refined surroundings; west side only. A 338 Times.

LADY, cultured, refined, would give help, return room and board. F 427 Times.

GREATER NEW YORK RENTING CO., 167 West 125th St. Watkins 544; subway.

FURNISHED 2 rooms and bath; $35 per month; particulars. F 445 Times.

Unfurnished.

REFINED gentlewoman desires 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms, with improvements, between Washington Square and 23d St. Address Brown, 25 West 16th St.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female

BILL CLERK, experienced, knowledge book-keeping and stenography; references. F 444 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, knowledge of stenography, typewriting, controlling accounts, trial balances; recommended by C. P. A. Miss Lange, Pennsylvania 6842.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT. Good at figures; 2 years' experience, with knowledge of typewriting; excellent references. E. H. 320 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, five years' experience; salary start $25; operate bookkeeping, billing machine. Miss Ida Kaelan, 750 East 5th St.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, 7 years' experience, controlling accounts, trial balances, etc.; references. $30. Miss A. Cohen, 1,562 Hoe Av., N. Y.

BOOKKEEPER, general ledger, controlling accounts, knowledge stenography, typewriting; five years' experience; salary $36. H 527 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. Y 2068 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, seven years' experience, competent, trial balance, controlling; references. G 501 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, assistant; experience trial balances, controlling accounts; $30. K 776 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced young woman wishes to take charge of books of small concern. Y 2070 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER, expert, controls, balances, stenography; accountancy student; $30. N 771 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, expert, 7½ years' experience controlling systems; $35. B 295 Times.

BOOKKEEPER—Exceptional ability; trial balance, controlling accounts, stenography; $38. Riverside 10490-613.

BOOKKEEPER, competent, executive ability, five years' experience; highly recommended; $35. H 101 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, correspondent, experienced, double entry; capable full charge offices. A 567 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, controlling accounts, trial balances; full charge. B 1067 Times Harlem.

BOOKKEEPER, stenographer, 5 years experience; full charge; $35. Astoria, 196 East 116th.

BOOKKEEPER, expert, desires part-time position, temporary or permanent. Phone Audubon 532.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, trial balance, accurate; high school education; $22. F 430 Times.

BOOKKEEPER—Six years' experience controlling accounts, trial balances. B 1021 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER and typist, experienced, competent, willing worker. F 429 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant; write up books, trial balances. Ac. K 762 Times Downtown.

CASHIER or bookkeeper; young lady, hotel and co-operative experience; no refusal unless first class salary. G 539 Times.

CHAMBERMAID—Lady, strong for house; Italian to accept a position in first-class apartment; Call between 11 A. M. and 12 M. 15 East 63d.

CHAMBERMAID—Refined woman would take care of business couple's apartment; good references. Write A. Trainor, 314 West 30th.

CHAPERONE—Educated young college woman desires position with young girl going South for the Winter. F 426 Times.

CHAUFFEUR, experienced; private family; best reference. Helsin, 246 West 123d. Morningside 8632.

CLERICAL WORKER, knowledge stenography; 2½ years' experience; references. B 266 Times Downtown.

CLERICAL worker with knowledge of French, German and some English. Room 823 Rodney St., Brooklyn.

CLERICAL, banking experience, switchboard, adding machine; commutation; $18. F 440 Times Downtown.

COMPANION, by refined, responsible woman; good traveler, or care for elderly lady in pleasant home. Address Seventy-care Green, 62 West 69th. Riverside 8478.

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COMPANION to lady, supervising housekeeper or of unusual ability; thoroughly capable secretary; experienced traveler; willing to go anywhere; speaks Spanish and knows Cuba and South American countries well. X 2493 Times Annex.

COOK, chambermaid, waitress (2), Finnish, experienced, wish positions together or separate, with family going to Florida. Write, call, Olga, 112 West 124th, care janitor.

COOK, competent, French woman, wishes position; city or country; Mary, 2,096 7th Av.

COOK, French, for small family. Write C. M., 336 West 34th St.

DAYS' WORK, colored woman; half time; downtown or uptown; reference. 440 West 163d St., Apt. 3. M. Carter.

DRESSMAKER, exceptional ability; late with leading house; home, out. F 536 Times.

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DRESSMAKER, fashionable; reasonable prices; Genevieve Powers, 172 East 82d.

DRESSMAKER, expert, will go out; dress in day. H 117 Times.

DRESSMAKER, French, wishes few days work. Write Box 117, 1,815 3d Av.

FILE CLERK, graduate, desires position downtown; some experience. K 784 Times Downtown.

GENTLEMAN, refined, experienced, desires position as assistant to mother; city or country. Address Willing, A 346 Times.

GIRL, colored, experienced, wishes housework, half time. Harris, 2,151 7th Av.

HOUSEWORKERS, 2 ladies, in business people's modern apartments; by the week; trustworthy and capable; references. B 285 Times.

HOUSEWORK—Two capable, refined young Danish girls, with knowledge of English, desire housework together in good home in the suburbs, preferably New Jersey. J. C., 114 Times Downtown.

HOUSEWORK, weekly, apartment, adults; references. Apply Janitor, 97 Morningside Av., basement.

HOUSEWORKER, colored, experienced, wishes afternoon (4) position. Mason, 182 West 135th St.

HOUSEWORKER, experienced (colored); adults; no washing. A 1084 Times Harlem.

HOUSEWORKER, colored, wants morning position. Mason, 182 West 135th.

KINDERGARTNER will take children out, mind them evenings. Phone 8756 Riverside.

LADY, French, Italian, Spanish correspondent, for steamship agency, foreign mail order concern; reference. F 442 Times.

LADY, young, wishes take out and care for refined children, outdoors; 50 cents per hour, week days, 9 till 1. F 423 Times.

MAID, visiting, colored, position few hours, serving, afternoons. Phone Morningside 5865, Hawkins.

MODEL, size 16, tall, stylish, experienced suits and dresses, wants permanent position. H 114 Times.

MOTHER'S HELPER, governess, American woman, refined, experienced; suburbs, city; state salary. A 344 Times.

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NURSE, child's, having no objections to going South. E. Kohlberg, R. F. D. 1, Bloomfield, N. J. Tel. 3589-J.

NURSE, experienced; wishes position; one child preferred; would travel. Newtown 229 party M.

NURSE, graduate, middle-age, care of elderly lady; references. E 526 Times.

NURSE, trained, 23 years' experience, wishes position. Harlem 9382 W.

NURSE, 44 years, by day; refined, experienced, practical; references. H 112 Times.

NURSE, experienced, for young infant; city or country. Col. 8400, Room 635.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, knowledge stenography capable, steady, reliable, Christian; salary $22; lower Manhattan preferred. Z., 244 88th St., Brooklyn.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, Christian; filing, detail work; neat appearance; downtown position; $16. V 857 Times Downtown.

OFFICE WORK, high school, experienced take charge small office; $20. Cathedral 3972.

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STENOGRAPHER, capable, experienced, desires position with reputable concern; can furnish excellent references. F 845 Times Downtown.

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STENOGRAPHER, neat, refined, capable; references; one year's experience. H 14 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, 4½ years' experience, competent, willing, Christian; $28. F 820 Times Downtown.

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STENOGRAPHER, competent, 2 years' experience; Remington; Rock, 264 Park Av., Weehawken, N. J.

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STENOGRAPHER—Young woman, Christian, well educated, 3½ years' experience; knowledge general office work; commercial, publishing and technical experience; $20. A 361 Times.

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STENOGRAPHER, typist; bright beginner; good speller. W., 303 West 116th. University 6930.

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STENOGRAPHER, experienced, capable, preferably dress house; salary $25. F 396 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, college woman, office experience, desires permanent position. A 1080 Times Harlem.

STENOGRAPHER, several years' experience, capable, competent, conscientious worker; $25. E 549 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, academic high school graduate; bright beginner; $15. K 796 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, assistant bookkeeper; 3 years' experience; $27. K 788 Times Downtown.

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TYPIST, office assistant; three years experience; references; $18. K 797 Times Downtown.

TYPIST, office assistant, experienced, understands filing; conscientious worker; $18. A 358 Times.

TYPIST, 4 years' experience; permanent position; best references; $22. B 289 Times.

TYPIST, expert, 3 years' experience; operates any machine. A 1082 Times Harlem.

TYPIST, experienced, desires work at home; also good penman. A 353 Times.

WAITRESSES, 2 ladies, tea room; Broadway house; part time. B 284 Times.

WOMAN as converter's clerk, capable of doing billing, typing and general office work; best references. Y 2059 Times Annex.

WOMAN wants position, cafeteria or tea room, to assist; experienced. F 451 Times.

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YOUNG WOMAN, educated, tactful, can give part time daily to correspondence of busy society or club woman; highest references. F 448 Times.

YOUNG WOMAN, thoroughly experienced housekeeper, wishes position. 123 West 140th St. Phone Aud. 9110, Apt. 44, Hampton Court.

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ACCOUNTANT, junior, one year public accounting, experienced bookkeeper. F 390 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 3 years' certified experience; audits without supervision. H 94 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, EXECUTIVE, office manager, auditor, cost accountant, public accountant experience; expert organizer, systematizer, constructive calibre of mind; 25 years' experience; open for permanent engagement executive capacity with manufacturing or commercial corporation; salary $5,000; available proper notice; Jersey commuter. M 490 Times.

ACCOUNTANT - BOOKKEEPER, age 25, seven years' business experience, three years bookkeeping, two years accounting, expert financial statements, tax reports, trial balances; references furnished; salary secondary consideration. B 927 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, business expert, auditor, systematizer, cost accountant, 20 years' extensive experience, seeks part engagement. F 942 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, executive, many years' practical experience with public accountants and large corporations; capable of managing large force; exceptional references; permanent position. G 857 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, experienced, semi-senior, university trained, assume full charge audits, open for engagement with accountants, temporary or permanent; available immediately. F 446 Times.

ACCOUNTANT—Ten years' experienced auditor; considerable experience in managing help; age 35; best credentials. Webster, 1,366 Bedford Av., Brooklyn.

ACCOUNTANT—Books opened, audited, and closed; tax reports and financial statements; desires evening work; highest mercantile references. J. L. Rawich, 562 Fifth Av., Flatiron 4068.

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ACCOUNTANT, junior (30), year N. Y. U., 4 year public experience, five years bookkeeper, wishes permanent connection with certified firm; $35. Y 2069 Times Annex.

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ACCOUNTANT, CONTROLLER, MANAGER. Experienced expert all phases accountancy, highly recommended, Christian. F 438 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, semi-senior, desires connection with certified accountant. D 809 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT (26), graduate; can audit without supervision; 3 years' experience; salary $40; available Jan. 1. A 833 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, 28, experienced, general and tax work, available Jan. 1; public practice or corporation. N 749 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, certified (N. Y.), desires additional engagements. B 914 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, senior, American, 30, wide tax experience, unquestionable credentials. N 780 Times.

ACCOUNTANT, office manager, bookkeeper, Christian, 8 years' experience. K 763 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, experienced junior, desires position with accountants. F 437 Times.

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BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT, ten years' experience, public utilities, general auditing, analysis work and voucher systems; Christian, married, 30 years of age; qualified to assume responsibility. E 397 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 25, hardware, auto accessories, can supervise complete pen or machine bookkeeping system, capable of intelligently handling all necessary correspondence, tracing, adjusting complicated accounts; salary $35. E 545 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, general offices man, capable taking entire charge; trial balances, controlling accounts, financial statements; absolutely trustworthy; exceptional reference; moderate salary. E 345 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-ACCOUNTANT, 30, Christian, married, 12 years' experience; accountancy training; qualified assume full charge accounting department; 35; best references. B 290 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, office manager, competent, reliable, desires position worth his strenuous efforts for success; age 45. H 96 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, knowledge office routine, accountancy student, typist, seeks position; references furnished; initial salary $25. A 329 Times.

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BOOKKEEPER—Accountancy student, experienced, trial balances, controlling accounts; $25. M 548 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, part time; write up books, daily or weekly; trial balances; reasonable. S 328 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, 20, three years' experience; willing, capable; references. K 796 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER; complete charge books, correspondence, trial balance; $30. B 917 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, young man, 21, 4 years' experience, for position Junior accountant; good references. A 348 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, 22, college graduate, office work, seeks position. F 851 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, expert; have two days each week to write up books, trial balances; moderate price. N 182 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, office manager, expert; trial balances, control; salary $35. N 181 Times.

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CHAUFFEUR, 15 years' experience driving, repairing high grade cars, imported and domestic, seeks position with private people; well recommended; courteous, prompt. M 568 Times.

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CHAUFFEUR, MARRIED, FORMERLY INSTRUCTOR MECHANICS GOVERNMENT MOTOR TRANSPORT SCHOOL; TEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE. F 405 Times.

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CHAUFFEUR, mechanic, 14 years' experience on high grade cars, neat, reliable, careful driver, highly recommended, does not smoke or drink. Kohler, 621 Lafayette Av., Brooklyn.

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ACCOUNTANTS—Firm public accountants require several seniors, capable of conducting audits with slight supervision; also semi-seniors and juniors; state salary required; give age and tax experience. K 780 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT—Young man, with experience, as accountant-auditor; must be familiar with modern bookkeeping methods and have some capacity for systematizing; state age, education, and experience in complete detail. S 1023 Times Annex.

ADVERTISING AGENCY has an opening for a live solicitor in the financial and banking field; a man of good personality, able to handle his accounts efficiently and attend to every detail without supervision; he will have the backing of a live organization; copy department and art service ready; we have no time for experiments or to teach any one; the man we want must know the financial field, media and agency methods; tell us what you have done and salary expected. Address LLY., Box 135 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISING.

Young man stenographer or stenotypist in national advertising agency; absolutely essential to be accurate and complete notes at conferences and capable of development into other work; good education required; preferably young college man. State age, education, nationality, experience and salary desired. L. L. M., Box 40, Postal Station "F," New York City. Give telephone number.

ADVERTISING SOLICITORS, experienced, special edition men, used to making big money, for international newspaper; commission basis. Room 716, 1,482 Broadway.

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR; commission basis; live proposition. 83 Nassau, Room 23.

ASSISTANT wanted, by C. P. A., at least 1 year of public experience; age about 28; state if own car; experience with men, references, age and salary to begin. B 918 Times Downtown.

ASSISTANT TO EXECUTIVES.

Wonderful opportunity for bright young man between 18 and 26. Box 490, 209 Cable Building.

ASSISTANT STEWARD for club, experienced; good handwriting essential; wages $100. Write, giving particulars, S 172 Times.

AUTOMOBILE stock entry clerk, preferably one with Ford experience. Bronx County Auto Co., 607 Bergen Av. (Mott Av.).

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first-class, Ford & T. Motor Service Corporation, 321 West 52th St.

BLACKSMITH AND HELPER—Steady work and good opportunities. Apply L. U. Harry Co., 14th St. and Jersey Av., Jersey City.

BILL CLERK,

with experience in billing, in wholesale grocery business; good opportunity for advancement. John S. Stille & Son., Inc., 604 West 37th.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man, from 24 to 30 years of age, to handle general ledger of large corporation; must be thoroughly familiar with double entry bookkeeping and understand latest methods in keeping accounts and be conversant with the handling of subsidiary book accounts, which close into the controlling accounts of the general ledger; give full details as to past experience age, reference, nationality, religion, salary expected, also telephone number. S 968 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCED ON EXPORT, ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE, LEDGER, INCLUDING HANDLING OF EXPORT DRAFTS AND REMITTANCES; UNUSUALLY FAVORABLE OPENING FOR RIGHT PARTY; ADDRESS, STATING AGE, EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND SALARY EXPECTED. T 473 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER—VERY DESIRABLE OPENING FOR YOUNG MAN THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED ON WHOLESALE CUSTOMERS' LEDGERS OF LARGE COMPANY. ADDRESS, STATING AGE, EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND SALARY DESIRED. T 472 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER—Competent to take full charge of set of books; quick and accurate; state age, experience and salary expected. Write Box 157, 906 Fitzgerald Bldg.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man familiar with control accounts, customer's statement, trial balance; must be good penman; state salary. M 66 Times.

BOY WANTED.

For errands and general office work in well known advertising company; good salary and exceptional opportunity for advancement.

MACLAY & MULLALLY, INC.,
198 Broadway. New York City.

BOY, 14 TO 17 YEARS,

IN OFFICE OF LARGE MANUFACTURING AND IMPORT HOUSE, WITH SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR PROMOTION; NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY; STATE EDUCATION AND SALARY DESIRED. ADDRESS ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT, P. O. BOX 780, CITY HALL STATION, N. Y. C.

BOY—An opportunity is offered to a boy desirous of learning the import and export business offering many opportunities for advancement; initial salary $600 to $750 per year, depending on experience; high school graduate preferred; applicant must be alert and give full details in first letter. V 949 Times Downtown.

BOYS.

ADVERTISING AGENCY DESIRES SERVICES OF SEVERAL BRIGHT, AMBITIOUS BOYS WHO APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITIES OF ADVANCING THEMSELVES THROUGH INTELLIGENT AND EFFICIENT WORK. DOREMUS & CO., 44 BROAD ST.

BOYS.

bright, intelligent, for office work; hours, 9 to 5, Saturdays 1 o'clock. Apply Union News Co., 105 Reade St., Employment Department, 4th floor.

BOY, 16 years of age, wanted by financial institution; opportunity for advancement; write, showing education and references. W 883 Times Downtown.

BOY, by large downtown stationery store for typewriting and office work. Apply in own handwriting, Liberty, D 854 Times Downtown.

BOY for work in office; must be willing and reliable; no others need apply; give references and state salary desired. F 648 Times Downtown.

BOY to run errands and assist in office; chance for advancement. Room 1114, 5 Columbus Circle.

BOYS, 14-16, office work and messengers, public school graduates. Apply United Dressed Beef, 776 1st Av.

BOY wanted, busy law office. Call Room 906, 20 Nassau St.

BOY in downtown law office; state age and salary expected. W 950 Times Downtown.

BOY in executive offices of large corporation. Room 1335, Singer Building.

BRUSH FOREMAN wanted, first-class, to take charge of factory; one that understands dairy, stapling and steel-wire baskets; apply in first letter your full knowledge and wages wanted. X 2464 Times Annex.

BUYER HAT DEPARTMENT.

A HIGH-CLASS MEN'S OUTFITTING ESTABLISHMENT REQUIRES THE SERVICES OF AN EXCEPTIONAL MAN; ONE WHO CAN TAKE ABSOLUTE CHARGE AND SHOW RESULTS; ALL APPLICATIONS HELD CONFIDENTIAL. T 478 TIMES.

CANVASSERS—Earn $15 daily commission representing hosiery manufacturer. Room 405, 1,170 Broadway.

CHAUFFEUR, practical, make himself useful in office; permanent; state references, wages desired. Address Stationery Store, Box 99, Bronxville, N. Y.

CHAUFFEUR—Must have best references; apply in person. T. J. Grycell, 7,402 17th Av., Brooklyn.

CLERK—VERY DESIRABLE OPENING FOR YOUNG MAN THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED ON CABLE TO ACCOUNTING, CLERICAL WORK. ADDRESS, STATING AGE, EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND SALARY DESIRED. T 474 TIMES.

COMPTOMETER OPERATORS wanted; salary $25. John E. Ransom, 30 Church St.

COPY MAN for advertising copy and make up trade weekly; state details, also salary. B 962 Times Downtown.

CORRESPONDENT—Foreign department of large downtown bank requires the services of an intelligent young man, capable of writing tactful and forceful business letters; experience in handling claims desirable but not essential; reply in own handwriting, stating age, education, experience and salary desired. Address "L. L." P. O. Box 422, City Hall Station, New York City.

CORRESPONDENT required who has had long experience in the handling of inquiries regarding listed and unlisted securities and who can write a clear, brief and comparative letter. No interviews except after submitting full details regarding experience, salary, and references. W 886 Times Downtown.

COUPLE wanted, first class, to do the work and take charge of country house, one mile from Frederick, Md.; no objection to child if couple are efficient; no laundry; woman must be good plain cook; man used to horses, able and willing; only those fond of the country and looking for good, permanent place need apply. Answer, stating wages, qualifications and references, also any further inquiries. F. W. Harewell, Prospect Hall, Frederick, Md.

COUPLE, middle aged man, gardener, experienced; useful; wife, housekeeper. Y 3064 Times Annex.

COUPLE WANTED, rest references, no children to manage bachelor apartment house, furnishing hotel service; must thoroughly understand this work; in writing state complete details as to experience of each, salary desired, references as to character and ability. S. C., 807 Times Downtown.

CREDIT MANAGER AND EXECUTIVE.

The Eastern office of a large manufacturer has an opening for an experienced credit man; preference will be given to a young man of proven initiative and tact and one who has qualified in the hardware or house furnishing trade in the East. T 477 Times.

CUTTER, experienced, for Pittsburgh, on japanese and house dresses; state salary and references. Y 2069 Times Annex.

DEMONSTRATOR, experienced, one to address audience, selling Telecator and Auto Lock; salary and commission. Scott Telecator & Auto Lock Sales Co., 1,679 Broadway.

DESIGNER.

Electrical engineer with from 4 to 7 years experience in design of direct current motors and generators of sizes below 5 HP. State age, education, experience, married or single, and salary expected. Excellent opportunity for man with proper characteristics. Address D. L. Sawhill, Engineering Dept., Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., East Pittsburgh, Pa.

DESIGNER wanted by Western manufacturer for ladies' silk underwear and novelties; only one with up-to-date ideas need apply between 9-10 A. M. to J. H. Golder, McAlpin Hotel.

DESIGNER AND FITTER, experienced, for fur House; only those who have had experience with exclusive models need apply. K. T. 632 Times Downtown.

DETAILER AND TRACER—Gas engine work; only first-class men need apply. S. W. Merritt Co., 690 West 133d.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER.

Desirable position open for young engineer on design and application of direct current and commutating machines below 5 HP. Should have from 2 to 5 years experience. Specify salary expected, experience, married or not, and education. Address D. L. Sawhill, Engineering Dept., Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., East Pittsburgh, Pa.

EMPLOYMENT WORK.

Wanted, man not over 30, not under 21, with experience in employment department or agency, to act as assistant to employment manager, large factory; must be willing to work hard and at low salary for the opportunity to take charge eventually; state age, experience, salary. Address E. T., 961 Times Downtown.

ENGINEER wanted, competent, as head of inspection department in large insurance organization; good education and executive ability essential; exceptional opportunity for right man. W 882 Times Downtown.

EVENING WORK—Young Frenchman, 23, high school graduate, desires evening work. Raimbault, 170 West 85th St., City.

EXECUTIVES,

Ages 29 to 35.

If you have had considerable experience in supervising large forces (50 or more) of clerical or merchandising labor;

If you are of good appearance, well educated and have a strong, congenial personality;

If you are an original thinker with constructive and practical ideas,

You can find an opportunity to prove it in the organization of a large progressive commercial house, where your ambition and ability will be appreciated.

Give full record of your experience, age and salary expected to start.

S 106 Times.

FARMHAND; must be willing and good, hard worker; good pay; good board. F 396 Times.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted in accounts department of large American fire insurance company; salary $55 per month, with 10% bonus; high school graduate preferred. Address Ins. Co., P. O. Box 1104, City Hall Station, New York.

LEDGER CLERK for large wholesale concern; must be rapid, accurate and a neat penman. Write, stating qualifications and salary desired, to 893 Times Downtown.

MAN, CAPABLE OF ON TAKING FULL CHARGE OF BAG, BELT AND COMB DEPARTMENT IN WHOLESALE JOBBING FANCY GOODS HOUSE; MUST BE THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED; NONE OTHERS NEED APPLY. STATE QUALIFICATIONS AND SALARY DESIRED. S 150 TIMES.

MAN—Insurance brokerage concern, large, has unusual opening for experienced insurance man for outside work; salary and commission. W 898 Times Downtown.

NEWSPAPER MAN for part time work on trade journal; man with daily newspaper experience preferred. B 281 Times.

OFFICE BOY wanted in old established banking house; splendid opportunity for a boy about 16; other boys connected with this house have to their credit ability and willingness to work are now holding important positions. Address, giving age, personal references and salary expected, Y. L., P. O. Box 872, City Hall Station, New York City.

OFFICE BOYS, 15 to 16; large downtown concern; advancement. Address P. O. Box 325, City Hall Station, New York.

OFFICE BOY, 17, ambitious; Christian firm; good salary; advancement. Miller, Tompkins & Co., 455 Washington St.

PAPER HANDLERS,
MACHINE DESIGNER.

Two experienced paper handlers on printing press; machine designer. Apply American Bank Note Co., Employment Bureau, Lafayette Av. and Manida St., Bronx.

PLANNING SUPERVISOR.

One of our clients has a position offering unusual opportunity to a graduate mechanical engineer between 28 and 35; must be thoroughly familiar with modern time study methods, production and material control, and able to interpret orders and drawings and route and schedule orders; must possess executive ability and unusual tact to secure full co-operation of those with whom he comes in contact; experience in plants where the product consists of small machined and pinioned parts necessary. Reply by letter only, stating age, married or single, education, complete chronological account of business experience, salary received and expected, and when free for a new connection.

SCOVELL, WELLINGTON & CO.,
Industrial Engineers,
27 William St., New York City.

PRODUCTION CONTROL CLERK, age 21 to 25; shop and drafting experience desirable, mechanical inclination essential; permanent with good future for right man. Apply N. Y. & Brooklyn Casket Co., 703 Bedford Av., Brooklyn.

PURCHASING AGENT to assist business manager, Berkshire industrial farm, Canaan, New York; $100 and maintenance. Apply 287 4th Av., Room 409.

SALES ENGINEER, capable of selling engineering service by personal interview to leading industrials; concern growing very fast; man now in charge of sales must devote all his time to management; only the very highest class of man, with successful record, need apply; salary to start $500; also commission. G 813 Times.

SALES PROMOTION MAN.

We manufacture dish and glass washing machines for restaurants, soda fountains, hotels and residences; over 10,000 machines have already been sold; we need another young man in our sales department.

He must not be more than 30 and must have had 3 or 4 years' experience in sales correspondence and direct mail campaigns; a knowledge of the mechanics of advertising would be in his favor; he will assist the sales manager in general sales work and will be given every opportunity to use his experience, ideas and originality.

The man we select must have had at least a high school education and must be a hard worker; this is an opportunity for a young man who wants to build a future for himself.

Apply by letter only, stating salary desired.
Crescent Washing Machine Company,
New Rochelle, New York.

SALES MANAGER

WANTED.

A PRESENT

AND

A FUTURE.

We are seeking the services of a man of dominant personality to take charge of our sales department.

This position is not for a beginner. We require a thoroughly experienced man who is accustomed to handling big things in a big way. He must be familiar with the sale of securities, able to conduct a sales campaign from start to finish and be temperamentally qualified to work in conjunction with a highly trained and efficient publicity department.

This position offers the opportunity to make a permanent and profitable connection. To the right man, a drawing account will be offered.

Apply by letter only, giving references. All letters will be held strictly confidential. Address C. N., P. O. Box 372, City Hall Station.

SALES MANAGER wanted for chemical house catering to domestic industries and consumers; only a man with a record of successful achievement prior to the war need apply; salary commensurate with ability; write fully, stating age, education, experience and connections in detail and salary desired. Y 2082 Times Annex.

SALESMEN, ATTENTION!

We are increasing our sales force and will give permanent employment with unusual opportunity for advancement to district managers to men who are ambitious, willing to work and can show results; we handle only high grade dividend paying issues; commission basis; out-of-town salesmen please answer this ad by mail and furnish references. Paul Weisbart & Co., 905 5th Av.

SALESMEN MAKE $100
A WEEK.

No door-to-door work; no competition; liberal commission; the Book of Knowledge is sold by a unique and special plan; if you can sell and are looking for a clean cut and profitable specialty selling proposition it will pay you to investigate. Apply to Mr. Jackson, Room 605, 2 West 45th St.

SALESMAN—SPECIALTY MAN TO REPRESENT A WELL-ESTABLISHED CORPORATION SELLING GOVERNMENT-COMPILED INFORMATION; COMMISSION, BONUS AND EXPENSE; 50 MEN AVERAGING $125 WEEKLY; IF OVER 25 YEARS OF AGE AND WITH SALES PERSONALITY AND A RECORD, APPLY TO 145 WEST 36TH ST., 6TH FLOOR.

SALESMAN

For New York district to call upon jewelry trade, selling jewelry boxes; salary and commission; experience preferred. Young Brothers, 722 Eddy St., Providence, R. I.

SALESMAN—AN OIL COMPANY, WHICH IS EXPANDING THEIR SALES TERRITORY, HAS AN OPENING FOR AN EXPERIENCED OIL SALESMAN, WHO MUST KNOW THE LINE AND BE ABLE TO PRODUCE; GARAGE TRADE OF NEW YORK IS THE FIELD; GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR THE RIGHT MAN; SALARY AND COMMISSION BASIS; STATE DETAILS IN FIRST LETTER. S 177 TIMES.

SALESMEN

seeking unusual stock issue to present to large investors should telephone Barclay 7108 for appointment; liberal commission makes possible large earnings; the company is established, has a big future, and will give you a good connection afterwards if you wish.

SALESMEN—John Baumgarth Co., Chicago, Ill., established manufacturers of exclusive art calendars and advertising specialties, is open for 3 able salesmen for N. Y., Brooklyn and N. J.; commission basis; work requires keen, alert men, who may build lasting futures. Apply, letter only, stating age, experience and last connection, M. S. Ansel, 50 4th Av., N. Y.

SALESMEN

Specialty coat house making popular and better class coats is open to engage several experienced salesmen who can prove their former sales; men who want to make a future for themselves; territories, New England, Middle West and South; commission; give all particulars in first letters. A. S., 61 Times.

SALESMEN traveling Southern or Western territories and calling on book and jewelry trade, jewelry trade to carry side line of Catholic prayer books and jewelry on commission basis; must travel territory at least twice a year, starting first trip in January. Apply, stating present occupation and full particulars; application strictly confidential, Box 512 209 Cable Bldg.

SALESMAN, TRIMMINGS AND LACES—Importers will finance import and domestic sales for real business getter, sharing big profits; applicants must produce evident concrete evidence of successful experience and withstand thorough investigation; replies held confidential. W 905 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN for ladies' handbags; well-established concern manufacturing fine line of ladies' handbags has opening for thoroughly experienced salesman; must have large jobbers and department store following; commission, drawing account; can choose territory; strictly confidential. S 174 Times.

SALESMEN.

Revolutionary patent; strong local directorate placing securities to finance large remunerative contracts; quantity exceptionally live leads; present men making unusual income; unlimited possibility and willingness to work. Suite 905, 220 5th Av., 3 to 6 P. M. only.

SALESMEN, sell Unikit during spare time; handsome commission; new patent made in gold and silver like expensive small fountain pen; contains entire manicuring outfit; men and women buy on sight; will furnish leads to reputable persons. Unikit Co., 95 Madison Av.

SALESMAN—High class ex-service man, preferably officer, to do advance work on the Source records of the World's War; our high grade records make a sound proposition weekly, combining salary and commission. Call 10 to 12:30, Room 1904, 50 Church St.

SALESMEN—We have an opening in our Book department for 2 or 3 high-class salesmen to interview business and professional men; to those who qualify we will give actual demonstration; our men are making $75-$100 weekly; commission basis. See Mr. Frederick, 244 5th Av., 9th floor.

SALESMAN, experienced specialty in automobile accessory field, for metropolitan district; drawing account against commission. Apply all day. Vacuum Meter Sales Co., 524 St. and Broadway.

SALESMAN, clothing; experienced salesman with established trade only to take charge of New York office for out-of-town clothing manufacturing concern; commission basis. Apply at E. Andrews, 1,182 Broadway, Room 301.

SALESMAN WANTED FOR THE MIDDLE WEST, COAST, NEW YORK CITY AND VICINITY, FOR A LINE OF CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES; THOSE HAVING A FOLLOWING PREFERRED; ON A COMMISSION BASIS. S 165 TIMES.

SALESMEN wanted; permanent position with big commission; full co-operation and leads offered a few good salesmen by highest class and best known membership organization in city. For appointment phone Columbus 537-8.

SALESMAN, acquainted with hotel and club trade, to sell popular soft drink banquet and dinner beverage, handsomely put up and a popular brand; commission basis; state references and experience. G. F., 875 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN — Real estate; long-established downtown real estate concern has opening for experienced man, who can produce results; commission basis; must have personality and executive ability. W 892 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN with a following to handle a nationally advertised line of portfolios, brief cases, music rolls, &c., as a side line; drawing against commission; several territories open; state full particulars. W 901 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN—Excellent opportunity for live, energetic salesmen, with or without automobile experience, to sell Ford pleasure and commercial cars in Greater New York; drawing account and commission basis. Call 2,201 Broadway, Room 10, Mr. Mungovan.

SALESMEN and sales manager; real estate; excellent opportunity for working a new system of getting prospects; experience unnecessary; drawing or commission. Apply all day, Broadway Development Corp., 1 Beekman St.; see Mr. Baldinstein.

SALESMEN, experienced, to call on grocery, bakery and restaurant trade; none but those having experience in this line need apply; salary and commission. Address, giving full particulars and references, Y 2081 Times Annex.

SALESMEN — MANUFACTURER OF MOUNTED COMBS, HAIR ORNAMENTS HAS EXCELLENT OPENING FOR SALESMEN WITH ESTABLISHED DEPARTMENT STORE AND JOBBING TRADE; COMMISSION. S 162 TIMES.

SALESMAN—Manufacturer desires salesman, commission basis, to handle a line of fancy and silver goods for jobbers and department stores; all territories open; one with following preferred. F 450 Times.

SALESMAN—LADIES' LEATHER BELTS and novelties; splendid opportunity for man acquainted with leather goods buyers; compact side line; commission basis; state territory and qualifications. E 535 Times.

SALESMAN, EXPERIENCED SILK trade for Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington; splendid opportunity for high-class man; straight commission or salary. S 171 Times.

SALESMEN—TO SELL JAPANESE SILK HANDKERCHIEFS FOR CHRISTMAS TRADE; BIG COMMISSION EARNINGS; DEPOSIT REQUIRED. CALL 540 BROADWAY, ROOM 16.

SALESMAN wanted for knitted neckwear and mufflers for the jobbing trade; one capable of doing big business; territory, Middle West; commission basis. T 1064 Times Annex.

SALESMEN WANTED, SEVERAL WITH A KNOWING BUT POPULAR PRICED CHILDREN'S DRESS FIRM; COMMISSION BASIS; WRITE J. S., 1214 WILSON BLDG.

SALESMAN, PIANOS, EXPERIENCED; GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR RIGHT MAN. PEASE PIANO CO., 34 FLATBUSH AV., BROOKLYN.

SALESMAN to sell high-class artificial limbs; man with its off; commission basis; excellent opportunity. J. T. & H. Apgar, 262 West 23d St.

SALESMEN, SELL FORD CARS ON COMMISSION BASIS. COUCH-HAAS CO., BEDFORD AV. AND EASTERN PARKWAY, BROOKLYN.

SALESMEN—Experienced; sewing thread for cut-up trade; salary and commission. S 166 Times.

SALESMAN WANTED, ACTIVE, WIDE-AWAKE,

FOR FLOOR WORK TO DEMONSTRATE CALLOPHONE OVER THE SELLING OF ITS SECURITIES; SALARY AND COMMISSION; UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES FOR MEN WHO CAN ADAPT THEMSELVES. PHONE FOR APPOINTMENT, JOHN 9.

SALESMAN wanted; high-grade man, resident of New York City preferred, to sell kiddie-koops to the best department and furniture store trade in the Eastern States; salary, commission and expenses; give complete details of past and present connections, references, age, telephone number, &c.; prefer man with long and intimate knowledge of and acquaintance with department store infants' wear and toy buyers. Address George H. Miller, Commodore Hotel, City.

SALESMEN of experience in any specialty, are offered opportunity to make permanent connection with established organization specializing in service rendered to business men; no books or canvassing; live leads furnished; no depression in our business and our salesmen average $150 per week on commission and drawing account basis; Jewish organization; state age, education, experience, phone number. S 138 Times.

SALESMAN to represent high-grade hat and cap manufacturer's line in Western territory; liberal drawing account; unusual opportunity; reply in detail; strictly confidential. X 2400 Times Annex.

SALESMAN wanted to carry a side line of men's knitted neckwear, popular prices; commission basis only. Grote Knitting Mills, 1,108 Germantown Av., Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN—$10-$15 a day commission selling best silk hosiery on market; mill to consumer. Call 1,431 Broadway, Room 409, 12 to 4 P. M.

SALESMAN, experienced specialty automobile accessory field, metropolitan district; liberal commission. Apply all day, Room 2322, 21 Park Row.

SALESMEN and district agents, Irish preferred, sell bust of Terrence MacSwiney, Irish martyr; commission. Write, phone, call Edward Ahl, 1,482 Av. of the Allies, Washington, D. C.

SALESMEN—Good tonics; delicatessen, grocery and drug stores; side line; steady commission. The Arlon Products Co., 27 East 22d St.

SALESMAN catering high class hotels and restaurants desired by wholesale produce house; salary depends upon individual. S 136 Times.

SALESMAN—Wanted, experienced salesman to carry a first-class line of ladies' pocketbooks for the Pacific Coast; commission basis. S 153 Times.

SALESMAN—Concern manufacturing necessity of exceptional merit has opening for real security salesman; commission only. H 90 Times.

SALESMEN, straight commission basis, for high-class monogram cigarettes; excellent opportunity for men with good clientele. T 476 Times.

SALESMEN wanted to carry complete line of vellings, mallines and nettings as side line; all territories open; commission basis; excellent opportunity. E 469 Times.

SALESMEN to sell high-grade securities; salary and commission or straight commission. Phone Cortlandt 3709, Extension 311 for appointment.

SALESMAN, ribbon, experienced, well acquainted with waist and dress manufacturers; salary or commission. William Heiss & Co., 16 West 23d.

SALESMEN to handle big Winter item; radiator covers; $75-$100 weekly easily made; commission. Madewell Cover Mfg. Co., 121 Spring St.

SALESMAN wanted; wholesale millinery house, for New York State, with trade; liberal salary or commission. Haig & Maher, 32 West 32d St., N. Y. C.

SALESMAN for ladies' and men's furnishings; must be window trimmer; good seller; steady position. Lefkovits Bros., 665 East 138th.

SALESMEN, high class, to sell soda fountains and store fixtures for a newly organized concern; commission basis. Address S 78 Times.

SALESMEN to sell electric lamps; commission basis; experience unnecessary. Paragon Electric Co., 329 East 5th St.

SALESMEN to call on retail grocery trade; food specialty; opportunity for advancement; straight salary. S 176 Times.

SALESMEN—Mocha gloves, men's and ladies, for city and vicinity; liberal commission to right parties. Homoka, 302 Greene St.

SALESMEN—Take side line of army goods; commission. Apply 10 to 12 A. M., 459 Broadway, New York, 2d floor.

SECURITY SALESMEN.

We can offer to a few experienced salesmen a remarkable opportunity in connection with the placing of an issue having the following important selling points:

1—The name of the corporation is known generally throughout the entire United States.

2—This corporation is the leading factor in the fifth largest American industry.

3—Its profits in the last twenty-seven months have been approximately $5,000,000, from an original investment of only $114,000.

4—Extraordinary present earnings sufficient for dividend requirements many times over, with unlimited future possibilities, as demonstrated by its past record of unparalleled success.

5—The enormous amount of publicity that this organization daily receives, together with its recognized phenomenal success, eliminates to a marked degree the usual selling resistance.

6—Liberal commissions, national advertising, and complete co-operation present an opportunity that no salesman can afford to miss.

Call Immediately.
Suite 1901, 25 West 43d St.,
New York City.

SECRETARY.

Young man, stenographer or stenotypist, in national advertising agency; absolutely essential to take accurate and complete notes at conferences and capable of development into other work; good education required, preferably young college man. State age, education, nationality, experience and salary desired. L. L. M., Box 40, Postal Station "F," N. Y. C. Give telephone number.

SERVANT and cook, general, Chinaman, for one man in country. Telephone Dantie, Stuyvesant 6372, 105 East 17th St.

SHIPPING CLERK wanted; must have good experience in domestic and foreign shipping; posted on tariffs, routing and customs house work; highest reference required; state salary expected. K 885 Times Downtown.

SKIRT SALESMAN.

We are open for a man who can sell high-grade novelty pleated skirts; commission basis only; may be handled with other kindred lines; our proposition is interesting; correspondence confidential. Write K 725, 241 5th Av.

SOLICITOR, ADVERTISING,

for a high-class magazine; experienced man; commission basis. Suite 246, 1,854 B'way.

STATIONERS AND PRINTERS.

Would like to receive applications from persons with experience in order and purchasing departments; state experience and salary desired; excellent opportunity. A 352 Times.

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The Civil Service.

City.

Applications for architectural draftsman, Grade B, will be received until 4 P. M. today. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age. The subjects and weights of the examination will be experience 4, technical 3, citizenship 1. Qualifying physical test will be given. Candidates must have had at least one year's experience in building construction as a draftsman. There is a vacancy in the Education Department at $1,038 a year.

United States.

The commission announces an examination for radio operator, male and female, age 25 to 40, in the Lighthouse Service at salaries ranging from $960 to $1,200 a year, with $1 per diem additional for subsistence. Appointees may be allowed the increase granted by Congress of $20 a month. On account of the needs of the service papers will be rated promptly as received and certification made as the needs of the service require. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on education 30, experience 70. Applicants must have completed eight grades of common school or equivalent education and have had at least two years' experience as an operator, either on board a vessel or at a wireless telegraph station doing a commercial business. Age limits do not apply to persons entitled to preference because of military or naval service. Classified employes who have reached the retirement age and have served fifteen years are entitled to retirement with an annuity.

Naval Orders.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Bureau of Navigation published the following orders today:

Canaga, Cmdr. R. L., to member U. S. Nav. Com. to Brazil.

Sellers, Cmdr. F. E., to M. E. F., Haiti.

Simpson, Lt. Cmdr. E. F. A., to Navy Yard, Boston

White, Lt. Cmdr. H. M. Jr., to offr. in charge Navy Tr. Det., Carlstrom Field, Arcadia, Fla.

Beckrider, Lt. Cmdr. M. G., to Patoka, as eng. offr.

Evans, Lt. J., to the Michigan.

Jenkins, Lt. J. H., to command the H-5.

Mayer, Lt. F. J., to offr. in charge Navy Steer. Sta., Harrisburg, Pa.

Orton, Lt. Jr. G., to Navy Yd., Mare Isl., Cal.

Roehl, Lt. W. F., to the New York.

Sebastian, Lt. G., to the Connecticut.

Shoemaker, Lt. M. B., to command the L-6.

Travis, Lt. J. V., to the Minnesota.

Livingston, Lt. J. L., to Asi. Fleet, Ship Plans Div. U. S. S. Briggs.

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ARMY GOODS STORES—100,000 pairs U. S. Army rip rubber boots, sizes 8-12, in 5-case lots or more, $3 a pair. Chas. Rose, 385 Bridge St., Brooklyn. Nevins 2853.

ILLNESS in family, single season orchestra ticket, alternate Wednesdays, Metropolitan Opera. Schuyler 9066.

TELEPHONE CONTRACT, Schuyler, for sale; immediate transfer; make offer. A 827 Times.

FOR SALE—Few very fine paradise birds; prices reasonable. F 443 Times.

FOR SALE—Herring-Marvin safe; double doors. Room 46, 1 East 42d.

FOR SALE—Rotary drying tumbler, condition; price right. T 770 Times Downtown.

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Wanted to Purchase.

WANTED—The following bound volumes of the New York Times; Index prior 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, and March and April, 1917; January, February, March, April and June, 1918; July and October, 1919; state price per volume. T 1022 Times Annex.

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I PAY 25% more than any one for your furniture, rugs, pianos, paintings. Griffin, 113 University Place. Stuyvesant 8396.

HIGHEST cash for furniture, contents houses, apartments, pianos, china, rugs, bronzes. Polson, 157 E. 47th. Murray Hill 165.

WANTED—700 steel lockers, 18"x15"x60". Hebrew Orphan Asylum, Amsterdam Av. and 136th St., city.

WANTED, articles I can use in a mail order business. Milton Roberts, 821 Manhattan Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

SOUGHT FOR SPOT CASH—FURNITURE, Works of Art, Jewelry, Bronzes, Rugs, S. Crossman, 63 W. 46th. Vanderbilt 3624.

WANTED—Second-hand pipe radiators for heating factory. B 932 Times Downtown.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE — CREDITORS CALL WITHIN ten days to Mr. Mansfield for payment of bills; closing store, 1,001 Southern Boulevard, entire to Hyman Shapiro.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION HAVE been taken out for Daniel Graham, who died in City Hospital, Blackwell's Island. Address Henry Keane, 407 10th St., Brklyn.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Disturbances were central over Newfoundland, the South Atlantic States, the Plateau region and off the North Pacific Coast Tuesday night, and pressure was high over the region of the Great Lakes and thence southwestward to Texas. This pressure distribution has resulted in cloudy, unsettled weather over much of the country during the last twenty-four hours, and rain fell in the Southern States and the Pacific States and light snow in Northern New England and Northern New York.

The temperature was lower Tuesday in the Central Valleys and the West Gulf States, while there was little change in other regions.

The outlook is for rain in the Middle and South Atlantic States Wednesday, and generally fair weather Thursday in the States east of the Mississippi River, except that snow is probable along the North Atlantic Coast.

The temperature will be lower in the South Atlantic States Wednesday and it will rise somewhat in Michigan and the Lower Ohio Valley and the Mar Gulf States Thursday.

FORECAST FOR TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Northern New England—Cloudy Wednesday and probably Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Southern New England—Cloudy Wednesday, probably followed by snow Wednesday night or Thursday; not much change in temperature.

Eastern New York—Cloudy Wednesday and Thursday; probably snow or rain in extreme south portion Wednesday night and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

New Jersey—Unsettled weather Wednesday and Thursday; probably rain or snow; not much change in temperature.

Western New York—Cloudy Wednesday, Thursday, fair; not much change in temperature.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1920.	1919.		1920.	1919.
3 A. M.	39	43	4 P. M.	40	47
6 A. M.	40	40	6 P. M.	36	48
9 A. M.	41	41	9 P. M.	32	45
12 M.	45	43	11 P. M.	30	41

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 39; for the corresponding date last year it was 44; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 38.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 40; at 8 P. M. it was 34. Maximum temperature, 46 degrees at 1:00 P. M.; minimum, 32 degrees at 9 P. M. Humidity, 65 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 58 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.99 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.09 inches.

Fire Record.

A. M.		Loss.
2:45—88	Orchard St.; Max Feinberg,	Not given
2:50—281	Broadway; Edward Martin,	Slight
3:20—155	W. Broadway; Klein Bros.,	Not given
4:30—103	W. 140 St.; H. Nelson,	Not given
4:50—507	W. 111 St.; Marie Kennedy,	Not given
9:00—46	W. 4 St.; Hygrade Products Co.,	Not given
10:40—907	S Av.; Max Gold,	Not given
11:20—272	W. 19 St.; Lillian McAvey,	Not given
P. M.		
12:25—Front of 9 W. 32 St.; auto; Barnett & Brown,		Not given
12:26—107 W. Seven St.; Evans & Smith,		Slight
1:16—12 Delaware St.; Sarah Charny,		Slight
2:50—25 W. 50 St.; Atlas Cloth Sponging Co.,		Not given
2:55—In front of South Ferry; auto; Adams & Martin,		Slight
3:00—123 E. 12 St.; Mrs. Hirschowitz,		Slight
3:50—860 E. 169 St.; E. Ruben,		Slight
4:25—In front of 14 Vesey St.; auto; W. J. Sloan,		Slight
5:00—160 E. 169 St.,		Not given
5:10—1,702 Amsterdam Av.; Martin English,		Slight
6:56—40 West End Av.; Albert Hartcorn,		Not given
7:00—Park Av. and 142 St. (auto); O. Soldier,		Slight
7:06—108 W. 44 St.; Lucca's cafe,		Not given
8:40—547 W. Broadway; Livingston & Lieberman,		Slight
8:56—201 W. 85 St.; Wm. Shapel,		Slight
9:00—36 W. 21 St.; Lewenton Bros.,		Not given
9:36—230 Eldridge St.; Cohen & Glensky,		Not given
9:55—19 W. 102 St.; John Parpachel,		Slight

The record on Dec. 3 showed a fire as having occurred in the premises of Baum-Strauss & Co., at 112 Franklin St. The fire was confined to the premises of another firm.

Estates Appraised.

FERRER, Dr. JOSE M. (Feb. 25). Total assets, $508,686—real estate, $20,686; cash, $14,794; personal, $2,505; stocks and bonds, $470,710; net estate, $477,652. His wife, Ivens, of 10 East 65th St., receives personalty, $17,199, and a life estate in $450,452; his cousin, William O. Madden, of 536 West 158th St., $1,000.

ROONEY, LIZZIE WILLIAM OUSLEY (July 29, 1918). Total assets $246,275—real estate, $101,650; personal, $84,626; stocks and bonds, $152,019; rents due, $7,974. Net estate, $220,048. His wife, Alice Virginia Brent, of Gadsney Farms Hotel, White Plains, receives $246,104; his friend, Frances L. Marcelin, of Boulevard Haussmann, Paris, an annuity of $6,000.

Regular Army Commissions.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The War Department today announced the following appointments as commissioned officers in the regular army:

Chaplain.

Lt.Col. Pierce, C. C., Office, Q.M.C., Washn.

Cavalry.

Major—Hicks, F. H., 118 East 60th St., N. Y.

U. S. SUPREME COURT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—In the Federal Supreme Court today this record was made:

262—W. S. Bullock, Judge, &c., et al., pfts., v. the State of Fla. upon the relation of the R. R. Commrs. of the State of Fla.—Argument continued for plfs., for defts. and concluded for plfs.

204—Grant Smith-Porter Ship Co. v. H. P. Rohde—Argued.

427—A. Baum et al., applts., v. A. V. Anderson, Warden, &c.—Argument commenced. Adjourned until tomorrow.

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THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook.		Governors Island.		Hell Gate.	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
High water	8:14	8:39	7:57	8:15	8:36	9:38
Low water	12:41	11:44		12:18	7:00	2:36

THE SUN.

Rises.	Sets.
A. M.	P. M.
7:07	4:29

Incoming Steamships.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Lorraine	Havre	Nov. 28
Finland	Antwerp	Nov. 26
Morro Castle	Havana	Dec. 4
Lake Fiedler	Kingston	Nov. 30
Erik II.	Progreso	Nov. 27
San Tirso	Tampa	Nov. 29
Mansefield	Newcastle	Nov. 13
Lilmoe	Amsterdam	Nov. 30
Ceamo	San Juan	Dec. 1
City of Montgomery	Savannah	Dec. 4

DUE TODAY.

Washington Maru	Gibraltar	Nov. 17
City of Bonaces	Cape Town	Oct. 28
Frankmir	Rio Janeiro	Nov. 16
Garfield	Callao	Nov. 20
Asia	Lisbon	Nov. 28
Birmingham City	Huelva	Nov. 19

DUE TOMORROW.

Maina	London	Nov. 24
Cavour	Para	Nov. 26

DUE TOMORROW.

Steamer.	From.	Sailed.
Landvard	London	Nov. 22
Romilnd	Halifax	Dec. 6
Wheaton	Flushing	Nov. 22

DUE THURSDAY.

Eastern Sea	Glasgow	Nov. 24
Turrialbe	Colon	Nov. 28
Columbia	Glasgow	Nov. 27
Oscar II.	Christiania	Nov. 27
Ducs d'Aosta	Genoa	Nov. 24
Gen. W. C. Gorthals	Colon	Dec. 3

DUE FRIDAY.

Adriatic	Southampton	Dec. 1
Mongolia	Vigo	Dec. 2
Philadelphia	Curacao	Dec. 3
Nicholas Cuneo	Port Antonio	Dec. 3
Caldas	Kingston	Dec. 3
Caroline	Hamburg	Nov. 25
Themistocles	Piraeus	Nov. 24

Outgoing Steamships Carrying Mail

SAIL TODAY.

Steamer. Destination.	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.	Carries Mail For
Duca degli Abruzzi, Naples	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Italy.
Dante Alighieri, Genoa	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Italy.
St. Victoria, Bermuda	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.	Bermuda.
Zulia, Porto Rico	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	Curacao, Venezuela.
Aldan, Bahia	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	West Indies, Brazil.
Cornish City, Dantz.	8:30 A.M.	12:30 P.M.	Poland.

SAIL TOMORROW.

Saxonia, Plymouth	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Germany, Great Britain.
Stockholm, Gothenburg	10:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.	Sweden, Norway.
United States, Copenhagen	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Denmark, Finland.
K. Luxtenbach, Hamburg	1:00 P.M.	4:00 P.M.	Germany, Austria.
Dronsore Castle, Cape Town	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.	South Africa.
Quilpue, Guayaquil	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Ecuador, Panama.
Monterey, Vera Cruz	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	Cuba, Mexico.
Michael, Para	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	North Brazil, Iquitos.
Servian Prince, Buenos Aires	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	Argentina, Uruguay.

SAIL FRIDAY.

Stavangerfjord, Bergen	10:30 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	Norway, Sweden, Finland.
Maxwell, Trinidad	7:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	Venezuela, Guiana.
Guiana, St. Thomas	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.	West Indies, Demarara.
Advance, Haiti	12:00 M.	4:00 P.M.	Central America.

Other Outgoing Steamships

Steamer & Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.	Steamer & Destination.	Time of Sailing. Date.	Hour.
Langley, Antwerp	Dec. 10	10:00 A.M.	Riverside Bridge, Varna	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Farnsworth, Hamburg	Dec. 10	12:00 M.	Ohioan, San Francisco	Dec. 16	10:00 A.M.
West Grania, Genoa	Dec. 10	12:00 M.	Clan Macintyre, Java	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Fort Denison, Australia	Dec. 14	12:00 M.	Teenkai, Batavia	Dec. 16	11:00 A.M.
West Harlem, Greece	Dec. 15	12:00 M.	Calcutta Maru, Kobe	Dec. 16	12:00 M.
Waukau, Barcelona	Dec. 15	10:00 A.M.	Suwa Maru, Manila	Dec. 16	10:00 A.M.
Boswell, Buenos Aires	Dec. 15	11:00 A.M.	Bristol City, Bristol	Dec. 16	12:00 M.

Foreign Ports—Arrivals and Departures.

ARRIVED.

Steamer.	At.	Date.
Bacchus	Marseilles	Dec. 3
American Star	Rio Janeiro	Dec. 3
North Pacific	Buenos Aires	Dec. 3
Pascras	Rio Grande	Dec. 2
Sheridan	Santos	Dec. 3
Sues, Maru	Suez	Dec. 4
St. Francis	Cadiz	Dec. 4

SAILED.

Steamer.	From	Date.
Fort Belasciano	Gibraltar	Dec. 3
Roussillon	Havre	Dec. 3
Davenport	Liverpool	Dec. 5
Toronto	Hull	Dec. 5
Vauban	Liverpool	Dec. 4
Marina, Washington	Santos	Dec. 4
Mar Cantabrico	Falmouth	Dec. 5

Transpacific Mails.

Connecting mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall Stations at 8 P. M. as follows:

Japan, Korea and China (specially addressed only), via Seattle	Manila Maru	Dec. 8
Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands and specially addressed mail for New Zealand and Australia, via San Francisco	Tofua	Dec. 10
Hawaii, via San Francisco	Maui	Dec. 10
Hawaii, Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Makura	Dec. 10
Japan, Korea, China, Siberia, Siam, French Indochina, Netherlands East Indies (except Sumatra) and Philippine Islands, via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.	Empress of Asia	Dec. 11
China and specially addressed mail for Japan and Korea, via Seattle	West Nomentum	Dec. 12
Japan, Korea, China, Siberia, Siam, French Indochina and Netherlands East Indies (except Sumatra), via San Francisco	Nile	Dec. 19

Pacific Mails.

Postmaster Patten announces that mails from Manila, dated Nov. 9, which arrived per steamer Eldridge, were dispatched east from Seattle on Dec. 4, and are due in New York on the morning of Thursday, Dec. 9.

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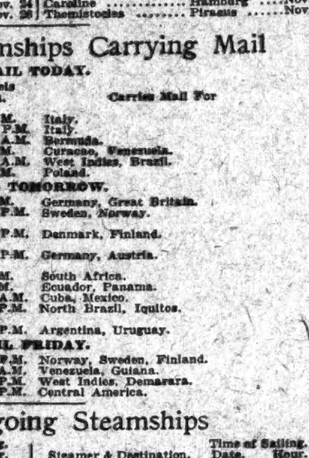
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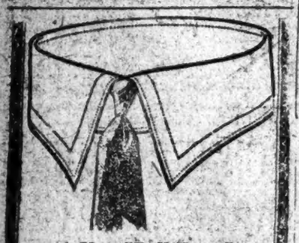

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CLOTHING MAKERS BREAK WITH UNION

Manufacturers Announce They Will Try to Resume on a Basis Insuring Good Wages.

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Leader, In Reply, Says That Move Means an Attempt to Restore the Sweatshop.

The Clothing Manufacturers' Association of New York yesterday definitely broke relations with the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, following the union's refusal to bow to the manufacturers' ultimatum and return to a piece-work system. This followed similar action by Boston manufacturers on Monday.

Announcement that the crisis reached on Monday, when the local workers turned down the piece-work proposition, and culminated in the rupture of peaceful relations was in the form of a statement by William Bandler, President of the association, which said:

"The association announced that, in view of existing conditions and the union's refusal to accept the proposal of the manufacturers contained in the resolution of the Market Committee of Dec 2 1920, it is no longer possible to recognize the Amalgamated Clothing Workers' Union as representing and acting in the interests of the workers in the New York clothing market, and the manufacturers will attempt in every way possible to secure business and give employment to their workers upon a basis which will insure good wages and make competition with the other markets possible.

"It is also officially announced that the impartial chairman has ceased to function and is without authority to speak on behalf of the local market."

In reply to this statement Sidney Hillman, General President of the Amalgamated, issued one which read:

"The manufacturers have taken it upon themselves to discharge summarily the impartial chairman and to destroy all government in the industry. We learned of these things through public statement by the manufacturers.

"They hope to create such chaos that they can grab from it such advantage as may be possible. They talk of giving employment to the workers. Instead their purpose is to create more unemployment, to break with the union, destroy us if possible, and return to the sweatshop if possible."

Mr. Bandler's letter was a brief resumé of a letter he sent to Mr. Hillman earlier in the day, in which he charged that the Amalgamated, instead of a categorical answer to the manufacturers' proposals, had embarked upon "platitudinous and general discussions," was planning for "evasive delay," and reiterated that the suggestion of the manufacturers that each worker be required to produce and be paid in accordance with a production standard upon "a basis of permissive competition with other markets, where your union standards now prevail, is not our arbitrary demand as you charge, but is the natural and inevitable solution of the problem confronting us."

Mr. Bandler's charge that the workers were seeking "evasive delay" was based upon a letter written to him by Mr. Hillman on Dec. 3, which said in part:

"The union has accepted the suggestion of the impartial chairman for a joint committee to be appointed and charged with the duty of ascertaining existing conditions, determining the extent to which production can be increased and the means by which these ends can be secured. The union has heretofore undertaken and does now undertake to secure the enforcement of whatever production program a joint committee should work out. This surely is the essence of collective bargaining to which your association is committed.

HILLMAN THREATENS "WAR."

Leader Warns of Fierce Conflict if Army Intervenes.

"Within the next few days as a result of the break between the Manufacturers' Association of New York and the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, 65,000 and possibly 170,000 men and women in this city will be on strike," said Sidney Hillman, President of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, last night at the Church of the Ascension, Fifth Avenue and Tenth Street.

"There is a probability that several thousand in Boston and other large cities will turn out in sympathy. If this takes place, and I have every reason to believe it will, the Department of War will probably try to intervene, but I warn them that should any drastic action be taken by the so-termed lawmakers, industrial war of the fiercest kind will follow. I do not blame the laborers for this break in the ranks of labor today, but I do blame the employers who announced this break."

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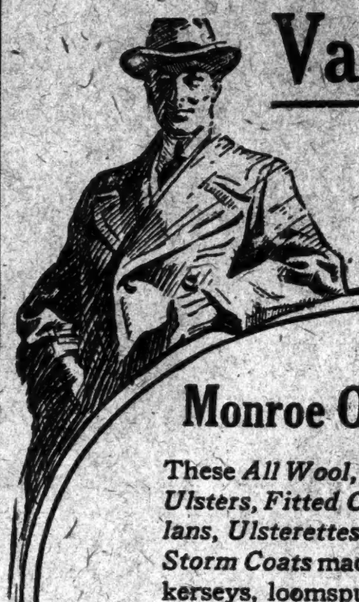

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